ections of The postage nu

Despotch

cisco

CLECO

Early

ne and Sydney

put back

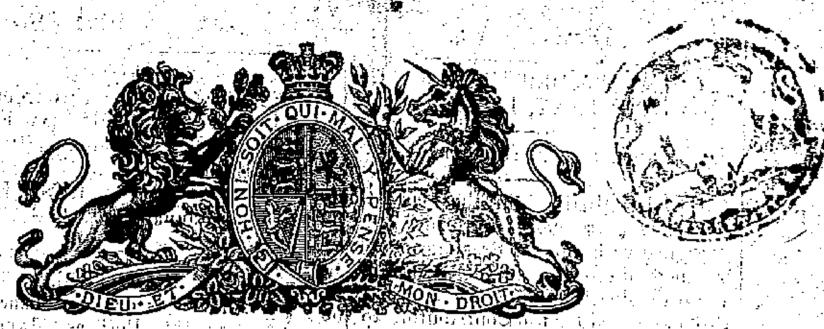
Early

ne and Sydney

Intended

Despatch.

Charter



日一初月二十年辰戊治同 Price, \$24 per Annum.

WITH WHICH IS INCORPORATED THE "HONGKONG EVENING MAIL AND SHIPPINGILIST."

Vol. XXV. No. 1749 號三十月正年九十六百八千一英 HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, 13TH JANUARY, 1869. AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL.

LONDON: -F. ALGAR, 11, Clement's Lane, Cornhill GOBDON & GOTCH, 121, Holborn Hill, E.C. BATES HENDY & Co., 4 Old Fewry, E.O.

AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW ZEALAND: GORDON & GOTCH, Melbourne and Sydney.

SAN FRANCISCO and American Ports / THE Undersigned hereby intigenerally: - White & BAUER, San

HINA: Swatow, DROWN & Co. Amoy, GILES & Co. Fouchow, THOMPSON nila, C. KARUTH & Co.

Arrivals.

Jan. 13, Nada, Brit. steamer, 716, Wood Bombay, Singapore and Manila, Nov. 16 Dec. 22 and Jan. 8, 4560 bales Cotton. OLYPHANT & Co.

Departures.

Jan. 13, Catharine Apcar, for Singapore & 13, New Granada, for Whampon.

Passengers.

ARRIVED. - Per Nada, 3 Europeans and

Shipping Reports.

The British barque Crested Wave, from London, reports moderate weather ; crossed the Equator on 10th Sept., in long. 20.30 W.; passed the meridian of the Cape Good Hope on 20th October, in lat. 34,30 S. : made Amsterdam Island on 11th Nov. t and alwood Island on 7th Dec., and Ombay passage on 9th Dec, with light variable winds and calms.; had N.E. trades off Pelew Island (on 4th January) till arrival in port on 12th January; 155 days out. In Ombay passage, spoke the British ship Ariel, from London bound to Shanghai, 80 days out, and British barque Sandieson, from Cardiff to Shanghai, 135 days out on 20th Dec., in Gillolo passage, spoke the Dutch barque Vesta, from Rofterdam Hongkong.

The Danish barque M. W. Sass, from Newcastle, (N.S.W.) reports had fine weather, winds from N. E. for 6 days, then Southerly winds till the Norfolk Islands, had strong S.E. until 7th Dec.; passed Me- Alpacea, tri Island on 9th Dec., lost trades in la 10 S., then had variable winds and calms on 21st Dec., passed Ocean Island; or 25th Dec., had N. E. trades in lat. 3.30 N on 1st Jan. passed Sayfon Island, on 9tl Jan. North of Bashee, arrived in Hong kong on 12th January; 49 days out. On 11th Jan., off Breaker Point, passed the North German schooner Idelina, also the N. G. brig Hieronimus.

The North German brig Martha, from Hamburg, reports fine weather and light winds; crossed the Equator on 28th Aug. in long. 26 W.; passed the meridian of the Cape of Good Hope on 19th Sept. in lat. 37 S.; made St. Paul's and Amsterdam Islands ou 23rd Oct. ; arrived at Anjer on 12th Nov.; left on 13th, passed Dampier Straits on 19th Dec., came to the Pacific on 20th Dec., passed Bashee on 8th January, thence had light winds and thick weather until arrival in port on 12th January. 184 days out.

The North German barque August Friedrich, from Sourabaya, reports the first part of passage fine weather, the latter part cloudy weather, much rain and steady N. E. monsoon till arrival in port. On 9th Dec. in Straits of Salaya, spoke the N. German barque Mauritius, from Hamburg bound to Hongkoug, 117 days out; on Dec. 16th, in lat. 2.13 S., spoke the Spanish barque Aurora, from Liverpool bound to Manila 127 days-out.

The British steamer Nada, from Bombay, Singapore and Manila, reports the first part of passage fine weather and steady N. E. monsoon. In Palawan passage, had heavy weather, strong gales from N.E. and heavy sea, which lasted for 48 hours; put in to Manila on 3rd January for Coals; left on 8th January for Hongkong.

"DIOMED," CROMPTON, Master, shortly expected from England, will leave for the above port Three days after arrival. ·-- The steamer will meet with early despatch from Shanghai for Hongkong, Singapore, Penang, Mauritius and Loudon, and Cargo can now be secured for the last-named port. For Freight or Passage, apply to

FOR SYDNEY (DIRECT). The British brig " AURORA," Capt. Lessing, will be despatch-

For Freight, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, January 13, 1869.

. Sound Tientsin PONY, for SALE.

RUD. JENSEN. Hongkong, December 19, 1868. Hongkong, January 13, 1869.

New Advertisements.

NOTICE. Lombard Street. George Street, 30, THE CLUB SOIREE, intended to have been held on Thursday Evening, is unavoidably postponed. By order of the Committee.

Hongkong Club, January 12, 1869.

mates that he has this day for sale at inblierate prices with the received the appointment of Sur-VEYOR to FRENCH LLOYDS to monthly lodgers at \$25, \$30, \$35, \$40,

ROBT. McMURDO.

ENDERS for the Painting and Whitewashing of H. M.'a ships " Princess. Charlotte," " Meloille" and " Flamer," will be received at H. M.'s Naval Yard, on or before the 14th Instant, at Noon. LParticulars of which can be obtained at this Yard.

A. H. PRICE, Naval Storekeeper.

WANTED. DOR the General Mess on board H. M. Troop-ship "Adventure."-A Good COOK. Persons applying must have a thorough knowledge of their work.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL. business to receive a continuance of their

Hongkong, January 6, 1869. LADAGE, OELKE & Co... 11/1LL Close their firm at Hongkong on We the 31st January 1889, and sell off

READY-MADE CLOTHING ATCOSTPRICE ... S'fine black Cloth Shooting Coats, \$10 a 15. Frock

Pants: Suits of newest Styles & Pterns, 12a18. Fanov Tweed Shooting Coats, 6a12: Sac Coats, 5a10. Merino Shooting and Sac Coats, ... 3.

Vests and Pants, Liven Jackets,.... Linen Sac Coats, Trousers,..... 24 Vests.....

> MISS GARRETT Has just landed ex "Cissy" and late

in great variety, Magic TOYS, HOOPS, DRUMS, UNS, PISTOLS, SWORDS, SHUTTLECOCKS. Noiseless BATTLE-DORES, and SHUTTLECOCKS, and a variety of other TOYS.

BONNETT & Co. AVE received by latest arrivals. Racing SADDLERY, JACKETS, BOOT TOPS, Racing SPUR , &c., &c. neral SADDLERY:

Ladies' HATS, WRÉATHS, Jet JEW-ELLERY, &c. Gentlemen's SCARFS, and colored and white Kid Gloves.

I, Wyndham Street, 300 Hongkong, January 2, 1869.

MISS ROSE SENTS, also TOYS, in great variety. Quilting, Serges, Reps, plain and printed sell by Public Auction, on Flannels, Prints, Calicos, Merino, and all

Blankets, Huckaback and Turkish Towelling, Bath Blankets, &c., &c. And, per last Overland Mail, Ladies' & Children's Hats and Bonnets. Silk Velvet, Velveteen, and Cloth Jack-

WELLINGTON STREET,

Opposite the Catholic Chapel. Hongkong, December 8, 1868.

EXCURSION TO SAN CHOAN AND BACK.

ERECTED OVER THE GRAVE OF ST. FRANCIS XAVIER. HIS ceremony of consecration will take place on a Sunday in January, to be named hereafter. Persons desirous of being

Co. Hollywood Road.

Hongkong for the occasion. By order of the Committee.

for their Rooms with or without board. There is an ample supply of Bathrooms, and Gas is laid on throughout the house. Hongkong, November 28, 1868.

New Advertisements.

HONGKONG HOTEL.

HIS HOTEL will be conducted under a

Board, \$45 a month. Tiffin only, \$15 a

new arrangement commencing on the

and Auctions

PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned will sell by Public Auction, on

THURSDAY, the 14th January, 1869, at 12 o'clock, at his Sales Room, Commercial Bank ja14 Buildings,-

> 600 lbs. Hops. 12 Tientsing Skins, suitable for Carriage-mats. 6 Tientsing Skins, Jackets and Dressing Gowns.

20 doz. Tumblers. 30 gross patent safety Matches. 20 doz. Bent wood Pipes. 5 doz. Meerschaum Pipes. 100 doz. Egg Cups.

10 doz. glass Plates. 50 milles cream-laid Envelopes. 100 reams cream-laid Note Paper. 100 gross wine Corks. 25 doz. 1-pints Worcester Sauce.

6 doz, Cork-screws. 8 cases, each 4 doz. pints, Congress 6 cases, each 2 doz. quarts, Con-

gress Water. 8 bottles, each 8 lbs. Nitric Acid. 2 cases Hypo-sulphate of Soda. TERMS of SALE. Cash before deliver in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7.

M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer. Hongkong, January 12, 1869. ja14

PUBLIC AUCTION.

'HE Undersigned has been instructde do sell by Public Auction, on FRIDAY, the 15th day of January 1869, at 15

o'clock: at his Sales Rooms, Commercial Bank Buildings. All those Lots of LAND situate at

Sowkewan and registered in the Land Inland Lot No. 105, containing in the

whole 9,000 square feet. Inland Lot No. 106, containing in the whole 3,000 square feet.

Inland Lot No. 107, containing in the whole 9,000 square feet. Inland Lot No. 108, containing in the whole 3,000 square feet.

Inland Lot No. 118, containing in the whole 2.500 square feet.

whole 4,000 square feet. After which, and at the same place, will be sold Inland Lot No. 123, containing in the

whole 12,475 rquare feet. For further particulars, apply to the Jndersigned, TERMS OF SALE .- One-half of the Pur-

chase money to be paid on the fall of the Bank. hammer, and the balance on completion of the deeds of transfer, the expenses of which to be paid by the Purchasor. Property to be at the risk of the Purchaser from the fall of the hammer. J. M. ARMSTRONG.

Hongkong, January 4, 1869.

PUBLIC AUCTION. 11HE Undersigned has received in-

WEDNESDAY the 3rd of March 1869, at Noon, on the Premises under the power of sale contained in the deed of Mortgage,—

That spacious, handsome and conveniently situated DWELLING HOUSE on CAINE ROAD, built on Inland Lot 157 with the Out Offices and extensive Ground attached. The Lot measures on the North and Northwest 136 feet, on the South (Caine Road) 132 feet, on the East 346 feet and on the West 331 feet,-the total area being 45,103 square feet. The ground rent is \$199.48 per annum.

undersigned. TERMS OF SALE.—One half of the purchase money to be paid on the fall of the It is intended to charter a steamer from The property to be at the risk of the purchaser from the fall of the hammer.

Auctions.

H. B. M. Gunboats "HARDY" and "DRAKE" will be Q OLD BY AUCTION 1st of December. The Charges for Board D at the NAVAL YARD, Hongkong, on will remain as follow:

month Dinners only. \$30 a month. One the 9th February, 1869, (unless previously Breakfast or one Tiffin, 80-cents. One disposed of by private agreement). Dinner, \$1.25.

There is an excellent assortment of wines

The Charges for Lodging will, be very with each vessel, viz —

considerably reduced. Robms are offered to monthly lodgers at \$25, \$30, \$35, \$40, Hull complete. No masta or yards.

> Awnings complete, with Iron Stan-Davits for 2 Boats. 1 Dingy, 14 feet.

A pair of 30 Horse Power high pressure engines by Messis. Maudslaz, Sons and FIELD, in fair working order. A set of 3 boilers, considerably worn but repairable.

Cross Head. Eccentric Ring, ... Propeller (brass), ... 1 Rod connecting, complete, 1 Feed pump rod, ... Bilge do. do. 1

With the " Drake," Masta complete. Rigging do. 1 Anchor. 100 Eathoms Cable. Awnings complete. Davits for 3 boats. 1 Dingy, 14 feet. 2 Oars.

All standing Sails, but square foresail. A 40 Horse Power high pressure engine The boilers of this vessel have been taken

Spare Gear. Cylinder Cover, ... 1 in No. Eccentric Ring (brass),... Plumber block brasses, 1 pair. Propeller (brass), 1 in No. Rod connecting, complete, 1 Feed pump rod, Bilge do, do.

Guide block, A. H. PRICE, Naval Storekeeper. Hongkong, November 27, 1868.

ING CORPORATION.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, FIVE MILLIONS OF DOLLARS.

COURT OF DIRECTORS. Chairman-Geo. F. HEARD, Esq. Deputy Chairman-Julius Menke, Esq. A. JOOST, ESQ. WILLIAM LEMANN, J. Inland Lot No. 137, containing in the W. H. FORBES, Esq. RICHARD ROWETT, S. D. SASSOON, Esq. Esq.

> VICTOR KRESSER, Esq. Chief Manager. DAVID MACLEAN, Esq. LONDON BANKERS. - London and County

HONGKONG. INTEREST ALLOWED N Current Deposit Accounts at the rate of I per cent, per annum on the daily

On Fixed Deposits .— For 3 months, 2 per cent. per annum. ,, 4 per cent. 5 per cent. ,, ,, LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.

Drafts, granted on London, and th chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.

Offices of the Corporation, No, 1, Queen's Road Bast. Hongkong, January 1, 1869. tf

BOWLS, AND

NOTICE.

BROWN & Co.,

Hongkong, January 9, 1869.

TUESDAY.

The Hardy is of 233 tons and 60 h, power.

-Z Auchors. 1121 Fathoms Cable.

4 Oars and Awning.
2 Downton's Pumps (1 complete).

Spare Gear.

Piston and Rod, 1

Guide blocks,

2 Downton's Pumps. by Messra. Pann and Sons, in good work-

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANK

GEORGE J. HELLAND, Hon. J. B TAYLOR. P. DUNGANSON, E. R. Belilios, Esq.

Credits granted on approved Securities and every description of Banking and

VICTOR KRESSER, Chief Manager.

BILLIARDS,

'4 HE ORIENTAL BAR, BILLIARD ROOMS, and Bowling Alleys, having been enlarged and fitted up in a very superior style unequalled by any in the Colony, the Proprietors Re-open the above on Monday, the 11th January, 1869, to their friends and the public, and trust with civility, present thereat, will be kind enough to hammer, the balance on completion of Good Liquors and the well known releave their names with Messrs Dr Souza & the deed of transfer. All expenses of putation of this old-established House, to transfer to be paid by the purchaser merit a share of their patronage. There ere three first class Billiard Tables in a large airy and well-lighted room. The Bowling Alley needs no comment.

Proprietors.

Singapore, Penang, Point de Galle, Aden, Suez, Malta, Marseilles, and Southampton;

Bombay, Madras, and Calcutta. HE PENINSULAR AND URIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steam-ship "RANGOON," Capt. Rennoldson, with Her Majesty's Mails, L'assengers, Specie, and Cargo, will leave this for the above places, on TUESDAY, 26th January, at 9'A.M. CARGO will be received on board until Noon, and SPECIE until 4 P.M. on the 25th January.

For particulars regarding Freight and Passage, apply at the P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong. CONTENTS AND VALUE OF PACKAGES

A written declaration of the Contents and Value of the Packages for the Overland Route is required by the Egyptian Government, and must be delivered by the Shippers to the Company's Agents with the Bills of Lading, or with Parcels; and the Company do not hold themselves responsible for any detention or prejudice which may happen from incorrectness on such declaration.

Shippers are particularly requested to note the terms and conditions of the Company's Black Bills of Lading. W. MACAULAY, Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office.



NOTICE COMPAGNIE DES SERVICES MA

RITIMES DES MESSAGERIES IMPERIALES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS. STEAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ,

ALEXANDRIA, MESSINA, MARSEILLES, BOMBAY, PONDICHERY, MADRAS,

AND CALCUTTA. THE Company's Steam-ship "TIGRE," L Commandant Boileve, will leave this Port for the above places, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, on Monday, the 25th Instant, at 9 A.M. Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for

the principal places of Europe. Cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M. of the 24th Instant, Specie and Parcels until 5 P.M. of the 24th Instant. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Oflice.) For Particulars regarding Freight and Passage, apply at the Company's office, Hougkong. CONTENTS AND VALUE OF PACKAGES ARE REQUIRED.

C. BERTRAND, Principal Agent. Hongkong, January 8, 1868. . jan25



THROUGH U. S. MAIL LINE TO NEW YORK. HE Steamer China, Capt. E. R. WAISAR, will be despatched for Yokohama and San Francisco, on the 19th January, 1869. A Steamer will leave Shanghai on or about same date, connecting at Yokohama

PACIFIC MAIL STEAM-SHIP

COMPANY.

with above-named steamer. Passengers ticketed through to California, Mexico, Central and South America, the Atlantic States, and to England or France, both via New York and by lines from Panania and Aspinwall.

Return tickets issued at a reduction of 10 % upon the whole amount for the round Connections are made at Panama with Steam Lines upon the West Coast of Central and South America, at Aspinwall with the "Royal West India Mail Line," "West India and Pacific Steam-ship Company." (Limited) and the "French Transatlautic Company." And, at New York, with the various lines to Europe Tickets issued the above port, and have quick despatch. for the following Steam-ship Lines: Cunard, Inmai, National, General Transat-

Co., New York and Bremen Steam-ship Co., and North German Lloyds. Favorable arrangements have been made for through passengers and freight to America, from Calcutta, Penang and Singapore. and, from Swatow, Amoy and Fouchow. Through Bills of Lading given for Ports of Mexico and on the West Coast of Central and South America to as far as Valpa-

raiso, to New York, Liverpool, Southampton

Freight to United States payable in ad-

and St. Nazaire, France.

lantic Co., New York and Havre Steam.

ship Co., Hamburg and American Packet

vance in Mexican Dollars, or on delivery in American Gold Coin with 8 per cent additional, at shipper's option. For further information, apply at the Agency of the Company, Praya West. GEO. F. BOWMAN, Agent,

Shipping.

STEAM TO SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. FHE P. & O. Co.'s S. S.

"CADIZ," will leave for the above places, at Noon, on Saturday, the 16th Inst., instead of at the time previously advertised.

W. MACAULAY, Hongkong, January 12, 1868.

FOR AMOY AND MANILA. The steamer "FUNG SHUEY,"

will be despatched for the above ports, on Thursday, the 14th inst., at 4 P.M. For Freight or l'assage, apply to AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Hongkong, January 12, 1869.

FOR YOKOHAMA. The British steamer $^{\prime\prime\prime}$ $THALES,^{\prime\prime}$ Captain J. Roskell, will have quick despatch for the above

For Freight or Passage, apply to P. & A. U. CAMAJEE & Co. Hongkong, January 4, 1869.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAM SHIP COMPANY. The Steam-ship CAPTINA,"
Captain E. R. WARSAW, will
sail from Hongkong for Yokohama and San Francisco, on the 19th

instant, at 3 P.M. precisely. No Freight received after Noon of the 8th instant. Passengers are requested to be on board at 2 P.M., day of sailing.

GEO. F. BOWMAN, Hongkoug, January 8, 1869.

FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER. The British ship "MARY ANN WILSON," "MARY ANN
A 1 for 14 years.
Apply to Apply to

Hongkong, January 11, 1869. FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER. The J.1 Brit. Brig Your, Master, of about 500

Mesars JOHN BURD & Co.

or to the Captain on board.

tons Deadweight Capacity. Apply to BUURJAU, HUBENER & Co.

Hongkong, January 9, 1869. FOR MARSEILLES AND SINGAPORE. The French barque JEANNE and out of the 135 tons register, will load at Hougkong and Whampoa for the above named ports and have quick des-

For Freight, apply to ARNHULD KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, January 8, 1869. FOR SAIGON. The A 1 British ship

"OUEAN EMPRESS." McDonald, Master, will have quick despatch for the above For Freight, apply to

Hongkong, January 7, 1869. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The A 1 American barque W. F. SEYMOUR, Master, will have quick despatch for th

OLYPHANT & Co. Hongkong, December 28, 1868. FOR NEW YORK. The British barque "GLENDOVEER." Captain Wilson, will load here and at Whampoa, and have immediate despatch for the above port. For Freight, apply to

Hougkong, December 23, 1868.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

FOR NEW YORK. The favorite American ship CROSBY, Master, having the greater part of her cargo engaged, will load here, and at Whampon, for For Freight or Passage, apply to OLYPHANT & Co. Hongkong, January 6, 1869.

USSELL & Co.

FOR MELBOURNE & SYDNEY. The Dutch barque "ZEPHYR," Capt. Cost. UM, will have quick despatch for the above ports.

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, December 23, 1868.

FOR SYDNEY (DIRECT.) The British Barque "MELROSE," Captain KINDRED, will have quick despatch as above. For Freight or Passage, apply to JOHN BURD & Co. Hongkong, December 9, 1868.

New Advertisements FOR SHANGHAL The Ocean Steam-ship Co.'s

BIRLEY & Co. Hongkong, January 13, 1869.

ed for the above port on Saturday next, the 16th instant, at Noon.

Apply to

Co. Shanghai, H. Fogo & Co. Ma- under date of December 22nd, or \$45, a month. Co. Shanghai, H. Fogo & Co. Ma- under date of December 22nd, or \$45, a month.

Hongkong, January 9, 1869.

H. M. Naval Yard. Hongkong, January 8, 1869.

Hongkong, January 8, 1869. A. WHEELER begs to announce to his patrons and the public generally, that he has removed to No. 26, Queen's Road Central, (opposite LANE, CHAWFORD & Co's,) where he hopes by attention to

their whole valuable-Stock of

Light and heavy Trousers, 2a 7.

Hongkong, January 5, 1869.

ROQUET, PATCHESI, SQUAILS and J LUTTO, Rocking HORSES, DOLLS.

Leather Foot BALLS, with spare/Indian-Rubbers. The beat from the con-VELVETEENS and SERGES, &c. Houghong, January 6, 1869.

CAPS, white CLOTH for Riding Breeches, Horse RUGS, and an assortment of ge-

Ex "Mikado," and "Whitehall," ITAS received a Choice Selection of French and English Fancy GOODS, suitable for BIRTHDAY and CHRISTMAS PRE-

the newest designs in Woollen GOODS. ets, in the latest styles.

CONSECRATION OF THE CHAPEL

J. DE SOUZA, - Secretary.

Auctioneer. structions from the Mortgagee to Exchange business transacted.

For further particulars, apply to the

J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer.

Hongkong, January, 12, 1869.



Shipping. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The N. German barque "ALBATRÔSS." Capt. OUREN, will have quick

despatch as above. For Freight, apply to AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Hongkong, December 15, 1868.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. To follow the "Marie," The British ship "GOLDEN HORN,

Captain RIGE, will have early despatch for the above port. For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, December 2, 1868.

Notices to Consignees.

S. S. "ARRATOON APCAR," FROM & Co. SINGAPORE: PENANG & CALCUTTA. ONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above named steamer are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature to the Undersigned, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense. GIBB. LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, January 12, 1869.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES barque Crested Wave, Capt. RENOUF. from London, are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and take immediate delivery. Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense. EDOUARD SCHELLHASS & Co.

Hongkong, January 12, 1869. "SIR LANCELOT," FROM L'INDON. CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the abovenamed vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the undersigned for countersignature and to take immediate delivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel will be landed and

stored at Consignees' risk and expense by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, January 11, 1869. P. M. S. S. Co. Str. "CHINA," FROM SAN FRANCISCO. CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the abovenamed Vessel are requested to send in

their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

GEO. F. BOWMAN.

Hongkong, January 8, 1869. I'HE following cases have been landed

.Hand stored at the risk and expense of the Consignees, who are requested to take immediate delivery. Ex "Hoogly," 31st October, 1868. VC 827 1 case Arms.

Ex "Tigre," 6th January, 1869. P 850. ... 1 case Books. 1 case Watches. 4 cases Revolvers. 2 cases Shell Screws 2 cases Pistols. Eusebio d'Aguino, ... 1 case Papers

HC & C-361/70, ... 10 cases Opium. C. BERTRAND, Principal Agent. Hongkong, January 6, 1869.

"BANDA," FROM LIVERPOOL. HE above named Vessel having arrived in Harbour, Consignees of Cargo by her are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature and take immediate delivery of their Goods.

sCargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, January 2, 1869.

Notices of Firms

NOTICE. AR. WILLIAM JUDSON BLYDENBURGI and Mr GEORGE HURLBUT are admitted partners in our Firm. Mr HENRY CUTLER Low will sign our Firm per procuration.

SMITH ARCHER & Co. Hongkong, January 1, 1869.

HE interest and responsibility of M ABRAHAM DAVID EZEKIEL, in ou Firm in China, ceased on the 31st Decem ber last, and Mr CHARLES ELIAS SASSOON has been admitted a partner therein from this date.

E. D. SASSOON & Co. Houghong, January 1, 1869.

HAVE this day authorised Mr C L. LANGDON DAVIES to sign my name per procuration to all orders for goods supplied to the Hongkong Hotel, and I alone am liable to pay for goods supplied upon such orders.

I have further authorised Mr Davies to 'collect all debts due to me on Hotel account, for which his receipt will be a sufficient discharge.

LEE AFOONG. Hongkoug, December 1, 1868.

NOTICE. MARC. J. H. SCHRODER, is authorised to Vi sign our Firm per procuration, from this date.

SOHWANBECK & THIEL Baigon, November 14, 1868.

NOTICE, THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr. WILLIAM NEILSON in our Firm ceased on the 80th June last. Mr Topias Pim, Mr Witliam Nisber OLMSTED and Mr H. SEYMOUR GEARY are

authorized to sign our Firm in Hongkong and China from this date. OLYPHANT & Co.

Hongkong, October 6, 1868.

NOTICE. I HAVE this day established myself as a PUBLIC ACCOUNTANT, AVERAGE AD-SUSTER and GENERAL COMMISSION AGENT. C. LANGDON DAVIES. Hongkong, July 1, 1868,

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE, DROM and after this date Mr George F. Bowman will act as AGENT of the Pacific Mail Steam-ship Company at this

S. L. PHELPS.

Hongkong, August 15, 1867.

NOTICE. AR. HENRY LISTON DALRYMPLE | Company. I is authorised to sign our Firm per procuration, at Foochow from this date. BIRLEY & Co. Hongkong, June 3, 1868.

NOTICE. HAVE established myself at this port as General Commission Merchant, under he Style and Firm of GIFFORD F. PARKER

GIFFORD FORBES PARKER. Saigon, December 20, 1867,

NOTICE. INTE have authorized Mr CLAUB BUDDE to sign our Firm from this date. DREYER & Co. Hongkong, January 1, 1868.

insurances.

ONSIGNEES of Cargo by the British THE HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

> CAPITAL 2,000,000 DOLLARS. in 2,000 Shares of 1,000 Dollars each.

> > Consulting Committee: GEORGE F. HEARD, Esq. WM. KAYE, Esq. R. ROWETT, Esq. S. D. SASSOON, Esq.

F. BUXEY, Esq. General Managers, -Mosses Jardine, MATHESON & Co.

Head Office; No. 39, Queen's Road.

HE HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COM-PANY, which expires by effluxion of time in a few months, having proved highly successful undertaking, it has been determined by a large number of its shareholders to form a permanent Company, under the same management and with increased Capital.

It is proposed to register the Company under the Limited Liability Ordinance, and the amount of the Capital having been fixed at Two Millions of Dollars, it is considered that Insurers will be amply secured thereby, while at the same time each shareholder will know the extent of his individual liability. The capital proposed to be called up amounts to a large sum, and provision will be made for the creation of an ample Reserve Fund, which will, it is expected, in a very short time accumulate to an amount practically to give the fullest security both to Insurers and Insured, irrespec-

tive of the unpaid Capital. It is intended to auticipate the termination of the Old Company, by dissolving it from and after the 31st December next, and measures are being taken for that purpose. In anticipating a successful career for the New Company, it is only necessary to present to the public the results of the Old Company since its establishment in May

1866, as exhibited by the following figures:-The total premiums collected from the 11th May 1866 to the present time, a period

of only two years and five months, amount to......\$304,727.72 The losses which have been paid within the same period

have amounted to.....\$130,081.22 and include the large sum of \$85,270 lost by the Fire at Hongkong in Nov. 1867.

The amount now at the Credit of the Working Account, after paying all Expenses and Re-insurances to date,

These figures fully warrant the most sanguine expectations of success, and it is but reasonable to expect that, strengthened with larger Capital, the present undertaking cannot fail to prove at least as successful as the former one. The Old Company, when it entered the field, had to create a business for itself, but the New one, in taking over the outstanding risks and connections of the Old Company, will at once receive a very large amount of premium, and enter on a profitable and organised business. Moreover, there is no doubt that the risk of Fire in Hongkong has been greatly diminished by the Building Regulations now in force, and by the establishment of a Fire Brigade.

The following are the main features of the New Company:-

feb 1. A first Call of \$100, to be paid upon each share on allotment, and a further Call of \$100 to be paid in Six Months; all further Calls to be determined upon at General Meetings of the shareholders. Interest at 12 per cent per annum to be in the first instance allowed on the paid up Capital, such Interest to be payable half-yearly, on 30th June, and 30th December. The profits after deducting the said Interest to be applied thus :-20 per cent, pro rata, amongst such of the shareholders as shall have contributed or influenced business to the Company, and the remainder in forming a Reserve Fund

of \$250,000. 3. When such Reserve Fund shall been accumulated, the payment of Interest to cease, and the profits to be applied thus:--20 per cent to be distributed as already mentioned amongst the shareholders who shall have contributed business to the Company; 30 per cent, to the augmentation of the Reserve Fund until it shall reach \$1,000,000, at which figure . It is to be permanently maintained | and the remaining 50 per cent, to be distributed by way of dividend amongst the shareholders generally,

4. No shareholder to hold more than 250 b. The Company to be managed by General Managers, with the assistance of a Con- ceases from this date. sulting Committee,

d. The Funds of the Company to be deposited in Banks or in Government Securities approved of by the Committee. The Deed of Association may be inspected the Office of Mr HENRY C. CALDWELL, the & Co. Solicitor of the Company.

Hongkong, December 15, 1868.

Insurances.

CHINA TRADERS' INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHARBHOLDERS.

CHAREHOLDERS in the above Company are requested to furnish the Undersigned with a list of Premia contributed by them up to the 31st October last, to afford the distribution of the 25 per cent. Profit reserved for the Contributors to the

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., General Agents. Hongkong, January 2, 1869.

New Advertisements.

BRITISH BARQUE CRESTED WAVE FROM LONDON. ONSIGNEES of GUNPOWDER and CAR-TRIDGES "to order," viz;-

JP 1, 2 cases Cartridges John Green shipped by E 1/40, 40 cases Cartrid. H. Leighton ges shipped by H. & Co. (in diamond))

998, 1 case Gunpow- D. Hooper & Co der shipped by..... are requested to send in Bills of Lading at once for countersignature and take immediate delivery, as the said Cargo will be stored by the Undersigned in the Government Gunpowder Hulk at the risk and expense of the Consignees, if delivery has not been taken before To-morrow, the 14th

instant, at Noon. EDUARD SCHELLHASS & Co. Hongkong, January 13, 1869. Queen's Road,

FINENDERS for Repairs of the British Brig "Appellina," will be received at the Office of the Undersigned, where full particulars can be obtained up to FRIDAY Afternoon, 15th January, at 4 o'clock.

BOURJAU, HUBENER & Co. Agents Brit. brig "Appellina.". Hongkong, January 13, 1869.

ONSIGNEES of Cotton per Str. Nada ore requested to send in their Bills of Lading, for countersignature, to the for any Goods Supplied without such in various forms, to any part of the Co-Undersigned, and take immediate delivery | Order. of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge of the ves-

sel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense. OLYPHANT & Co.

Hongkong, January 13, 1869.

PUBLIC AUCTION. TO-MORROW, 14th January, 1869, at 12 o'clock precisely, will be sold on board the French ship Chine & Havane, Capt. Robert,

30 Barrels CLARET, less or more damaged, on account whom it may concern. Hongkong, January 13, 1869.

PUBLIC AUCTION. HOUSEHOLD AND OFFICE FURNITURE.

THE Undersigned has received instructions from C. Storey, Esquire, to sell by Public Auction, at his Resi-

dence, No. 29, Wyndham Street, on SATURDAY. the 16th January, 1869, at Noon.

The whole of his HOUSEHOLD and OFFICE FURNITURE, comprising-Desks, Tables, Chairs, Book Shelves, Sideboards, Chest of Drawers, Toilet China, that such a publication as this Mirrors, Toilet Table and Set, Gasaliers, should be established and conducted with and Gas Brackets, Whatnots, Zinc Bath | apparently successful vigour. Tub, an Iron Bedstead, a Mountain Chair, a covered Sedan Chair, etc., etc.,

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.17. J. M. ARMSTRONG,

Auctioneer. Hongkong, January 13, 1869. ja16

GENERAL WEEKLY AUCTION ANE CRAWFORD & Co. will sell by Public Auction in their Sales

Rooms, Queen's Road, on FRIDAY,

15th January, 1869, at Noon,-The following Goods, namely:-An Invoice of Coward's Perfumery &c., comprising, Lozenges, Drops, sences, Hair Oil, Essence of Rose, Lip Salve, Shaving Soap, Tooth Powder, Po.

matum, Windsor Soap, etc., etc. 40 cases Boker's Bitters. 50 doz. merino Hose. 25 doz. men's Gauze Undershirts. 48 Cheeses.

200 bags California Potatoes. Sundry private EFFECTS, including Wearing Apparel, Counterpanes, Smith and Wesson's Revolver, Cricketing Gear. (The property of a gentleman who has left the Colony.)

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery 1 Mexican Dollars weighed at 7, 1, 7, All lots, with all faults and errors description, at Purchaser's risk on the fall of the hammer.

Hongkong, January 13, 1869.

Mr Rudolph Heinsen in our firm ceased on the 31st December 1867, and 31st December 1868 respectively.

Mr FERDINAND NISSEN and Mr HEINpartners in our firm at Hongkong and in China, which now consists of Mr George its divisions, streets, and places. THEODOR SIEMSEN, Mr WOLDEMAR NIS-BEN, Mr ADOLPH JOOST, Mr FERDINAND Nissen and Mr Heinkich Hoppius.

SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, January 1, 1869,

NOTICE. HE Interest and Responsibility of Mr FREDERICK PEDDER in our Firm H. D. BROWN & Co. Affiny, December 31, 1868

TAR, FRANCIS CHOMLEY is a Partner in H. D. BROWN & Co.

Amoy, January 1, 1869,

New Advertisements.

NOTICE. ARR D. O. CLARK retires from our Firm, M and Mr J. MURRAY FORBES and Mr E. D. BARBOUR are admitted Partners

from this date. RUSSELL & Co. China, January 1, 1869. july2

NOTICE. TATE have this day established ourselves at this Port as MERCHANTS AND

KRUMMENACHER & Co. J. KRUMMENACHER. R. RADECKER Office-No. 12, Stanley Street.

Commission Agents under the firm of

Hongkong, January 1, 1869. FOR SALE. DASS'S BEER, quarts and pints. D Allsopp's BEER.

Champagne ALE. Bridge's PORTER. Pale India STOUT. French PATTIES. Imperial PLUMS. TOBACCO and CIGARS. SHERRY-PORT-CHAMPAGNE.

Yellow SOAP. Toilet SETS. TURPENTINE-Paint OIL-CANVAS &c., &c. A small portable PUMP, with HOSE complete.

J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer and General Commission ef | Commercial Bank Buildings,

> Hongkong, January 6, 1869. HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY,

LIMITED.

NOTICE. LL Orders for Goods Supplied to or work done for the Hotel must be signed by the Secretary of the Company. The Company will not undertake to pay to furnish Daily Supplies of Soft BREAD

By order of the Board of Directors, O. LANGDON DAVIES,

Secretary. Hongkong, November 27, 1868.

HE "TREATY PORTS OF CHINA & JAPAN," AND "NOTES AND QUERIES ON UHINA AND JAPAN.

EXTRACTS FROM REVIEWS.

(From the "Straits Times," July 27, 1868.) Some time ago we had occasion to remark upon the progress that Literature as represented by the Press had made and was making in the East, and our attention has again been called to the subject by the receipt of a Hongkong publication which deserves some notice and which we have much pleasure in introducing to the knowledge of our readers. We allude to Notes and Queries on thina and Japan, published monthly by Mr Saint, the proprietor of the China Mail newspaper. This publication is well printed on good paper, and in size and shape is very like its well-known namesake or prototype at home, and is equally a mine containing very curious and useful information regarding the language, literature, history, manners and customs of the Chinese and in a less degree of the Japanese, It says a good deal for the extent and

The publication is altogether a very interesting one, and wishing it every success. we commend it to the attention and support

of our readers. (From the "Friend of India," June 4, 1868.) We acknowledge with thanks the receipt of the numbers for the current year of "Notes and Queries," a most deserving Anglo-Chinese monthly, edited by Mr N.

B. Dennys, whose "Treaty Ports of China and Japan" are so well known. From the names attached to the "Notes" we can see that the contributors include some of the best Chinese scholars in the East. Its interest is not confined to China, and it will be of valuable assistance to all scholars, who have directed their attention towards the subject of Buddhism and its literature, and generally to all who are interested in oriental antiquities. It deserves to be better

(From the "London Examiner," May

known in India.

16, 1868.) This really useful volume ["Treaty Ports" of China and Japan"] is intended as a guide for travellers and residents in China and Japan, and as a book of reference for mercantile men generally. It contains an account, historical and political, of all the each, open ports of these countries, together with Peking, Yedo, Hongkong, and Macao. has been carefully compiled and edited by Mr N. B. Dennys; and the elaborate maps and plans, with which the work abounds, considerably enhance its value. * * *

We have thus given in outline some of the more prominent portions of the chapter devoted to Canton, as a specimen of the whole volume. Other chapters treating of Macao, Formosa, Ningpo, Shanghae, and the remainder of the treaty ports, we can only enumerate. The pages describing THE interest and responsibility of Mr Peking, the capital, are so interesting, and GEORG WILHELM SCHWEMANN and of contain so much that is new to European readers respecting its history, public buildings, and general characteristics, that we would fain transfer them to our columns. A complete and intelligible plan of the Imtion Hoppius have this day been admitted perial City and neighbourhood, gives us an

In the introductory chapter to the notices of the Treaty Ports of Japan will be found as uccinct history of that Empire, together with remarks on its government, geography, and limits, which will be found particularly interesting as throwing a considerable light on a part of the world so long entirely, and still comparatively, unknown to Europeans. The descriptions of Nagasaki, Yedo, Yokohama, and the other Treaty Ports of Japan, are as elaborate and entertaining as those of the Chinese ports. A copious inapr2 dex and a useful appendix containing many hints and much appropriate advice to travellers and others, is also included in the our Firm, which from this date will volume. The entire work affords a vast at the Office of the General Managers, or at | be conducted under the Name of BROWN | amount of information, pleasantly written, and we doubt not will be perused with interest by many who will never visit the apr2 | Eastern seas,

New Advertisements.

L'MPLOYMENT WANTED, by a young MAN, (English) aged 30, of business habits, and several years experience in Hongkong. Apply by letter, "A. B.C. care of Office of this Paper. Hongkong, December 26, 1868.

SAIL-MAKING. L'AWCETT & Co., having secured the services of an experienced Sail-Maker, are prepared to Make or Repair SAILS at very reasonable rates. Hongkong, December 10, 1868.

THE HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAO STEAMBOAT COMPANY LIMITED.

NOTICE. HE Ordinary Half-yearly MEETING of Shareholders of this Company will be held at the Office of the Company, Victoria, Hongkong, on Wednesday, the 20th day of January next, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of receiving the statement of accounts with the Report of the Direc tors, and of declaring a Dividend.

By order of the Board of Directors, - AUGUSTINE, HEARD & Co. General Agents. Hongkong, December 23, 1868.

THE HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAO STEAM-BOAT COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE. THE Transfer books of the Company will be closed from the 4th day to the 19th day of January next inclusive. By order of the Board of Directors,

AUGUSTINE, HEARD & Co. · General Agents. Hongkong, December 23, 1868.

NOTICE. THE Undersigned having PURCHASED L the Interest of the "WANCHI STEAM BAKERY," begs to notify the Public of Hongkong and Ship Masters that he is prepared

Also Ship BREAD of best quality and at low rates constantly on hand or baked in quantities at short notice.

Also Nater, Butter, Soda and Sugar BISUUITS by the Barrel, Tin or Pound. Also Corn and Rye MEAL, HOMINY, CORN STARCH, BICARB, SODA, Sale ratus and Cream TARTAR, FLOUR of best Brands constantly on

hand supplied by the Barrel, Bag, Tin or CAKE of all kinds baked to order. The above is under the Superintendence of Mr Jonathan Parsons, and all orders forwarded to him, at the Bakery, or left at Mesers MACEWEN & Co.'s will receive

prompt attention. L. P. WARD. Hongkong, February 17, 1868.

LATEST SHIPPING.

CLEARED. Allendale, for Yokohama, Sirene, for Manila. Handy, for Bangkok. Wanja, for Yokohama.

PASSENGERS. The following European passengers left this for Canton on the 12th :-Messrs R. Devens, H. Borme, Dr Shillitoe, and 6 others.

The following European passengers arrivel here from Canton on the 13th :--Mr Hurlbut, and Mrs Ho-A-mei

POST-OFFICE NOTIFICATIONS. MAILS WLLL CLOSE;— For SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW,-Per "CADIZ," on Saturday, the 16th Instant, at 11 a.m., instead of at the

time previously notified. For AMOY & MANILA, -Per "FUNG SHUEY," on Thursday, the 14th Instant, at 3 p.m.

For YOKOHAMA, SAN FRANCISCO, & the U. S. of AMERICA generally,-Per the P. M. S. S. Co.'s Steam-ship "CHINA," at 2 o'clock P.M., on Tuesday, the 19th instant. All correspondence intended to be forwarded

by this opportunity must be superscribed per "CHINA.". The postage must be prepaid as follows FOR A LETTER. Under b ounce, 8 cents. Above bounce and not exceeding 1 ounce, . . . 16 Above I ounce and not ex-

Above 14 ounce and not exceeding 2 ounces. 32 For every ad'tional & ounce. 8 Newspapers or Prices Current, 2 cents Under the convention recently conclud-

correspondence forwarded as above will be delivered free at the places of its F. W. MITCHELL Postmaster General. General Post Office,

Hongkong, January 8, 1869. IT is hereby notified for general information that henceforward the Postage chargeable on Book and Packets of Patterns | Bank, 6 months' sight, addressed to the United States of America | Credits, 6

Via Southampton. Under 4 ounce. - 12 cents. Above 4 ounce and not exceeding 8 ounce, - - 24 Above 8 ounce and not exceeding 12 ounce, - - 36 Above 12 ounce and not exceeding 16 ounces,- - - 48 For every additional 4 oz., 12 Via MARSEILLES, Under 4 ounce, - - 16 cents. Above 4 ounce and not exceeding 8 ounce, - - 82 Above 8 ounce and not exceeding 12 ounce. . . 48 Above 12 ounce and not exceeding 16 ounce. . . . 64 For every additional 4 oz., 16 Prepayment of the Postage is compulsory in each case.

F. W. MITCHELL,

Postmaster General.

General Post Office,

Hongkong, June 18 1868,

POST-OFFICE NOTIFICATION. It is hereby notified that, under the authority of a Treasury Warrant dated the 1st May last, Superintending, or First-Class Schoolmasters in the Army will, in future, be entitled to the same privileges in regard to Letters sent by or addressed to them on their own private affairs as are at present enjoyed by Commissioned Officers in the Army; and all Army Schoolmistresses will be entitled (as Army Schoolmasters of all but the First-Class now are) to the same privileges, in regard to their Letters, are enjoyed by non-commissioned Officers and

ef Private Soldiers. UNDER DESPATCH. For Swatow, Amoy and Foochow.—Per Cadiz, on Saturday the 16th Instant, at noon, instead of at the time previously no-

For Amoy and Manila .- Per Fung Shuey, on Thursday, the 14th Instant, at 4 p.m.

CARGOES. (From the Canton Customs Daily Returns.) Summary of Imports and Exports, into and from the Canton Custom-house, by the Native Craft during the week ended 10th January.

Imported from Hongkong,— 997 piculs and 36 baskets Alum. 32 bales Anissed Star.

457 bags Copper Cash. 816 bags and 64 piculs Chaff. 127 bags and 26 piculs Coke. 137 bales Cotton. 36 bags Cutch.

70 packages Outtle Fish. 1184 bags Red Dates. 249 bales Fish Maws. 77 packages Broken Glass. 106 cases Window Glass. 104 packages Glue. 2193 pieces Buffaloe Hides.

391 tubs Indigo. 2541 packages and 313 pieces Nail Rods, Bars and Hoops, 186 packages Old Copper. 62 bundles Copper Sheets.

135 packages Old Iron. 195 packages Iron Wire. .482 pigs Lead. 80 slabs Tin. 204 packages Medicine 80 bales Melon Seeds.

43 cases Nutmegs. 96 piculs Paddy. 10,874 piculs and 82 bags Peas. 120 packages Dried Persimmons, 208 packages Preserved Provisions. 520 packages Rattans.

23 bales Nankeen.

970 bags Rice. 222 packages Sapan Wood. 1508 bales Shark's Fins. 99 packages Shell Fish. 550 bales Vernicelli. 52 bales Wool.

66 pigs. 25 Sheep. 31 cases Tobacco. 19 pieces Furniture. 26 cases Yellow Metal Sheathing. 358 packages Sundries.

Exported to Bongkong,-47 cases Brassware. 55 jars Cakes. 86 packages Chinaware. 224 bags Charcoal, 100 bales Honied Dates. 48 baskets Earthenware.

4500 bundles Fire Wood. 104 packages Fire Works and Crackers, 32 baskets Green Ginger. 47 packages Iron Ware. 236 packages Joss Sticks. 53 packages Lacquered Ware.

32 packages vedicine. 4132 rolls Mats. 44 bags Old Mats. . 47 packages Mirrors with frames. 6125 jars Pickles. 80 bales Palm Leaf. 89 packages aper.

468 bundles and 1429 pieces Planks. 87 packages Preserves. 42 packages Paper Ware. 400 cases and 72 jars Samshoo. 4545 baskets Sugar. 5085 jars and 1026 boxes Tea. 107 packages Tohacco. 167 bags Tooth Fowder.

84 packages Vegetables,

125 jars Salted Vegetables.

481 packages Wood Ware.

126 cases Sugar Candy.

40 packages Sundries.

45 jars Water Chestnuts. 21 boxes Gold Leaf. 300 pieces and 20 pkgs. Iron Boilers. 2068 packages Sundries. Per Johanna, cleared for Tientsin, -1658 bags Brown and White Sugar.

80 bales Medicine. 20 cases Sundries. Per Glendoveer, loading for New York,-3056 rolls Matting. 120 cases Straw Hats. 150 packages Fire Crackers. 86 cases China Ware. 164 cases Fans. 26 cases Silk.

QUOTATIONS. Hongkong, 13th January, 1869. OPIUM.—Patna, New,... Benares, New, Malwa, ... 16de COTTON.—CALOUTTA. ... Вомвау, 17 a 21 J Shanghae, ... Exchange. transmitted via the United Kingdom will On Calcutta, 3 days' sight, Rs. 222 ,, Bombay, 3 days' sight, Rs. 2211 ,, Shanghae, 3 days' sight, Bank, Tls. 741 Bar Silver, 17 dwts. B., 9 nominal Mexicans. Gold Leaf, ... Gold Bar, 98 touch, ... 22.80 a 23.10 English Sovereigns, ... 4.65 Australian Sovereigns, .. 4.63 Discount, ... 9 a 10 H. & W. Dock, Old, 4 a 6 p. c. dis; New, H. & S. Bank Shares, Old, 26 p. c. p. (sales) Do. do. New, Union Dock ... Temperature. Hongkong, 13th January, 1869. (Taken at Mesers Falconer & Co.'s Premises, Queen's Road.) THERMOMETER-9 A.M., Dry, . 701 $\mathbf{D_{0}}$ 4 P.M., Dry, . . 711 žDυ,

Wet,

Min. over night, 64

Self-registered Maximum,

TABI the P. & approved General. To be Wyndhan Hongke MOR

Notice .-

all comm

business

Proprieto

the trans

RIN

with ac

and at r

avoided.

name.

HE LIST CULATIO

Hongko

TH HONGKONG THE Dire

Company, of a sangu These char much by t business ir enough, as seem to accept the their repor thereof to opens with no proper first few n ing. But omission ? on the lat Colony. check the Company's' also that, matters in lic meetin called to la The charge report, _ito s remarks, ar accusations tion is affor regard to interesting Company idea of gett who had i rience of A head of a vants of wh presumed t any man, native rasc We have felt any an which, who bourg Gee playfully seemed to colony. I however, would tern efforts of the far beyond an establis retain its m bar and be public faith tors. details are this head. are unable accounts" omission.

included in Buildings opinions of Had the di they would whereas th that there: "Let th content wi dency the G than be, he not inap birds of qu to the rep held out which we attendant contributes: ence, "Th to pay all or to the sha This is ind we hope af which have

to most of tionally rea Walker is ment, as h the side of e able prospec sent board o

lieve, do the

NOTIFICATION. ed that, under the au-Warrant dated the 1st ending, or First-Class Army will, in future me privileges in regard addressed to them on fairs as are at present sioned Officers in the Schoolmistresses will Schoolmasters of all now are) to the same to their Letters, are nissioned Officers and

ESPATCH. and Foochow.-Per the 16th Instant, at e time previously no-

Alla. - Per Fung Shuey, h Instant, at 4 p.m.

toms Daily Returns.) s and Exports, into Custom-house, by the the week ended 10th

gkong, baskets Alum, Star. ash. iculs Chaff. iculs Coke. le Fish

Glass. Hides. 313 pieces Nail Rods r Sheets.

bags Peas. l Persimmons. erved Provisions. An Wood.

etal Sheathing.

Dates. uware. Vorks and Crackers Vare. ticks. ered Ware.

rs with frames. 29 pieces Planks. Ware, s Samahoo.

oxes Tea. tables. Ware. tnuts: kgs, Iron Boilers

or Tientsin,— White Sugar.

for New York,—

ckers.

ONS.

uary, 1869.

\$640

16 a 19 17 a 211 4/51 a 4/51

9 nominal. ... 6.26 a 6.80 ... ½ prem. ... 23.10 a 23.30 ... 22.80 a 23.10 .. 4,65 4.63 .. 9 a 10 o die; New 22 a 25. 26 p. c. p. (sales)

30 p. c. dis. Co.'s Premises,

 $\rho_{\rm ry}$, $71\frac{1}{2}$ Wet, 67

night, 731 30.272 80,166

Notice.—It is particularly requested that out of the slough into which it had fallen, all communications relating to the general but in the event of their again taking the transaction of business will thereby be ayoided.

RINTING of every description exeouted at the "China Mail" Office with accuracy, neatness, punctuality, and at reasonable charges, by CHARLES A. SAINT.

PRICE 50 CENTS.

TABLE showing the Proposed Movements of the Mail Steam Packets of the P. & O. Company for the Year 1869, as

Wyndham Street. Hongkoug, December 26, 1868.

MORRIS'S DIRECTORY CHINA, JAPAN THE PHILIPPINES, &c., 1869.

HE above Work is now PUB-CULATION. Apply to JOHN B. MORRIS., Mesers Bowra & Co.,

Queen's Road. Hongkong, January 13, 1869.

THE CHINA MAIL.

HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, JAN. 13, 1869

THE HOTEL

THE Directors of the Hongkong Hotel Company, limited, are evidently people of a sanguine and confiding disposition. These characteristics are evidenced, not so much by their hopes of doing a successful business in future, which seem reasonable enough, as by the manner in which they Beem to imagine the shareholders will accept the unpleasant facts set forth in their report without imputing the blame thereof to the Directors. The report opens with an expression of regret that no proper books were kept during the first few months of the Company's working. But who is responsible for such an They throw the whole blame on the late Manager, who has left the But is there no committee to: check the neglect or dishonesty of the Company's employes? How comes also that, if the late manager conducted matters in the way represented, no pub lic meeting of the shareholders called to lay the whole facts before them The charges made against him in the report, to say nothing of conversational remarks, amount to something very like doubt that the barbarities which have accusations of dishonesty, yet no informa- been practised upon "imports of human tion is afforded as to the steps taken in stock" from China will be much mitiregard to such conduct. It would be gated, if not rendered wholly impossible, interesting to enquire also to whom the when Cuba has a free-born and free-bred Company is indebted for the brilliant labouring population. As a sample of idea of getting out a man from England | the spirit which finds expression in Cuba, who had never had the slightest experience of Asiatics, and placing him at the ed to Cubans, by a body styled the head of a large establishment, the servants of which being Chinese, might be presumed to be more than a match for

We have never expressed and never felt any antagonism to the Hotel scheme. which, when initiated by certain "Strasbourg Geese," as an eminent official playfully designated the Shareholders, seemed to meet a real want in this colony. But the "singular misfortune. however, as we presume the directors would term it, which attended the first efforts of the company in purchasing for far beyond its value the "good-will" an establishment which was permitted to retain its most lucrative departments, the bar and bowling alley, first shook public faith in the wisdom of the directors. We note by the way that no details are given of the money paid under That the present Directors to submit "any detailed accounts" can hardly excuse so grave an Of course the sum must included in the valuation placed upon the Buildings (\$318.146), which is in the opinions of competent judges exorbitant. Had the directors gone into greater detail they would have disarmed opposition. whereas they now leave it to be inferred that there is much to be concealed.

any man unaccustomed to deal with

native rascality.

"Let the dead past bury its dead. however; and may the shareholders content with reflecting that His Excellency the Governor made a shrewder hit than he, very probably, intended when he not inaptly designated them as female birds of questionable wisdom! Turning to the report, let us see the prospects held out of future success-a success which we should sincerely rejoice to see attendant upon an institution which contributes so much to public conveni. ternity! Let us have universal suffrage, ence. The receipts are now sufficient equal representation, the abolition of the to pay all outgoings, and to leave a profit to the shareholders," says the report, This is indeed cheering news and will press, of speech, of worship of association, we hope affect the value of the shares. which have been a dead loss hitherto to most of their owners. It is additionally reassuring to find that Mr. Walker is the authority for this statement, as he is not likely to err on the side of exaggeration as to the favourable prospects of the company. The present board of directors will, we fully believe, do their best to pull the company lie!

Proprietor and in no case to individuals by their care must extend to something beyond a careful check upon waste and general expenditure. The tariff of chartendance, etc. But a very short time since the stranger desirous of obtaining information as to whether this or that person was resident in the hotel found himself unable to get any information ed as an impertinence. There are many details in which improvement could approved by Her Majesty's Postmaster be made, as we are quite sure "remark book" for visitors would prove. To be had at the China Mail Office, No doubt great improvement has been made since a number of guests seceded score of bad cookery, no attendance, and in an appearance. A letter to this effect exorbitant charges for wines, but there is room for more. A good reputation for civility, on the part of employes, and promptness in attendance will cover a multitude of sins, and we hope that at the next annual meeting the directors will be able not merely to point to a more cheerful balance sheet, but to refer LISHED and READY FOR CIR- with just pride to improvements in management.

> other influences now at work to totally abolish that trade, or at any rate to cause it to be conducted with some referthat ere the new rulers of that country had been a month in power they did more than had been done in thirty years previously to put an end to slavery in the Spanish possessions, and special reference is made to Cuba, which has long been the most highly prized of Spanish official plunder-fields. "When an intriguer in the Camp or at Court had grown sufficiently troublesome to be worth buying at his own price, he was named Captain-Genera of the Queen of the Antilles; and two or three years of Viceregal exaction usually sufficed to enable him to meet his recal equanimity, One after another worst adventurers succeeded in verdict. reaching this Eldorado of legalised ra-The Governorship of Cuba was the first prize in the lottery of bureaucratic intrigue; and it was so, not because the salary and ostensible perqui sites were high but because the illici gains arising out of the slave trade were unaccounted for and enormous. It has long been a matter of notoriety that the whatever to do with lawyers' notes. It was Creole or native-born people of colour in the island, have constantly decreased in number, owing to hardships and over work; and it has consequently been profitable trade, to replenish this species of human stock by importations from over sea." Of course it is "negro slavery to which allusion is made, and not that form of servitude which springs from the coolie trade, but there is no we give an abstract of an appeal address-

Republican Committee of Havana: "The cry of victory has reached us. The heroic people of Spain have dealt the final blow to the blood-stained throne of the last

of the Bourbons. "The Cuban people, republican and liberal, cannot be indifferent to this magic presentative a blow in the months whi cry of liberty. For three centuries, groaning beneath the voke of an atrocious destheir chains. Surrounded by enemies, and without munitions of war, they have been completely defenceless. Exile or death was their own Government, their destiny has imprisonment. been to suffer in silence.

"The thirty-five millions of dollars annually wrung from the industry of Cuba in former days, in now increased to sixty mil-The corrupt government of Isabella II. called for nothing but gold. Finding itself without credit abroad, by an infamous swindleit obtained recently a loan of twentytwo millions from the Cuban people, through the Spanish Bank of Havana, Its securities have proved worthless, and this enormous sum is to be its regular exaction. Not satisfied with oppression by force of arms, it has fostered during many generations an iniquitous traffic in slaves. The expenses of the Government of this island ing fees to public officials. This is for a population of only a million and a half, Not a dollar of this sum has been devoted to public instruction, to public works, or in any way to benefit the community. All has gone to the rapacious Spanish Govern-

"As slavery has been abolished in the statement, the prisoner endeavoured immediate extinction is called for.

lie Long live Liberty, Equality and Fraregular army, the creation of a national gaol for one month. militia; trial by jury, and the liberty of the

"If Spain insists upon maintaining in Cuba the same colonial government under ant was drunk, and said he was sorry for it. from Calcutta to Mauritius. The Captain which she has suffered during the monarchy, we shall lose all hope of gaining freedom by conciliatory means, and arms, with the treated himself to a sedan; he went up Messageries Imperiales most generously are also arranged so as to exclude all noise; forced abolition of slavery, must be resort streets and down streets and into the gave them a free passage to Calcutta on the stage is two feet higher than the floor 13,000 miles; in 1868 it is about 120,000 "We repeat the cry of 'Long live free

LOCAL. MR J. B. Morris's Directory for China Japan, the Philippines, &c., was published this day. We shall notice it to-morrow. ges will bear revision, and there appear column that the Club Soirée, previously We observe by an advertisement in another to be well-founded complaints as to at fixed for Thursday evening, is postponed until further notice. SUPREME COURT. The Court sat to-day at ten o'clock, to hear a common jury case of ejectment, in from the Chinese servents, while appli- ties had expressed a wish to withdraw from complainant failed to appear, and defendcation at the office was evidently regard- the position altogether. The case, it appears, was, that the defendant had built a house upon a piece of ground the property the land was his property; but as it had

was handed to the Registrar by the plaintiff's attorney; and the case was presumed to be closed. But His Lordship the Chief Justice would not thus settle the matter. Mr Hayllar, counsel for the plaintiff, who was sent for, appeared, instructed by Mr. Sharp; and a jury was then called and sworn.—The Jurors were—Messis Geo. Holmes, R. Devine, J. Opstetter, Tillinghurst, Blackhead, A. Smith, and A. Meyer. His Lordship remarked that, as the de-IT is possible that the Spanish revolution will have a deterring effect upon the to withdraw from a case. There was a of all the powers of the old World, not concoolie traffic, and thus combine with clearly defined practice laid down in the tent with her Pan-Slavic propagandism in ence to principles of common humanity. (his Lordship), if at home, would be on most important to us, by way of the Amoor Remarking on what has been done by circuit, and might have travelled a great river against China. The United States, peared in a previous process, in the same

> Jury were therefore bound by law to find a The Jury then returned a verdict for the that, not being a document, it was an irrean irregular and undesirable proceeding. and he hoped it would not be renewed,

or title of the plaintiff as admitted. The

the letter had been handed in without an

His Lordship said he ought to have returned it; he trusted that it would not of the great Amoor Basin and the contigu-

TO-DAY'S POLICE. Mr May on the Bench. Warren Morrison, of the Piscatagua, ac mitted that he was very drunk, and was fined 50 cents.

David Spinnings, private of the 75th Re giment, was charged with assault. It ap peared that Chun-chak-sing, a lokong, was passing along his beat quietly at elever o'clock, last night, in Taipingshan, when two or three soldiers came "rolling home Spinnings having passed, thoughts, turned and hit the municipal had the effect of loosening the lokong Defendant was, of course, drunk notism, they have in vain sought to break | and resisted the authority of the Police with an energy worthy a better cause. Defendant, however, admitted that he was drunk, and that he knew nothing about the reward of every Cuban who uttered a any assault: he was very sorry if he struck liberal thought. Deprived of all voice in anybody.—Fined 5 shillings, or two days'

> Chiu Ahoong, cook to Messrs Lapraik & Co., was caught last night by P. C. mius under suspicious circumstances. cook was seen to open a door, in D'Aguilar Street, and go back when the P. C. approached; upon these grounds, he was apprehended. - Prisoner said he was coo to Mr Lapraik, and was visiting the servants at the Club; which statement was corroborated. And prisoner was, as matter of course, discharged. Yik-koon-poo, a chair-coolie, was charged

by a respectable-looking shopman with having stolen a tempting Stilton from his basket while on the Praya yesterday, near the Clock Tower, complainant felt alone have amounted thus far this year to | jerk at the basket slung behind him. and thirty-three million dollars, without count- turning round he saw prisoner coolly walklng off with the cheese on his shoulder this was too much for the shopman, and he howled out at once; when the thie dropped the cheese and bolted. A Police man, who had seen the little incident caught the cheese-stealer.—Notwithstand ing this clear corroboration of complainant's United States, it would be madness that it elaborate a case, Passing along, he accican, against all sense of right and sound dentally knocked against the basket, and policy, continue to flourish in Cuba. Its | quarrel ensued, the result of which was this false charge of the cheese. A friendly chair-"Spaniards, let us cease our divisions, | coolie swore to the truth of this statement, and let Cubans join with you in shouting, and added that the complainant wished to Long live Union ! Long live the Repub- let him go, but the policeman would not -Prisoner was therefore sentenced to four months' hard labor; and his friendly "chum" was ordered to pay £5, or go to

yesterday refused to pay for a chair, and discovered what he thought to be signs of

the coolies' money, for he struck the coolies in the face and kicked them generally all over for having the audacity to demand His defence was original; he admitted having struck the coolies, but said that they followed him and bothered him so that his temper "got very small"-in truth, he must have lost it altogether.-Mr May fined the Dutchman \$2 and order-

THE CHINA MAIL.

Gaol for 8 days. Mr J. de Souza, printer, appeared on a summons as complainant against Job de Souza, compositor, for having unlawfully ant was therefore discharged.

A Chinese living at the Gap was sen two months to Gaol for having stolen s of the plaintiff, under the impression that respectable woman's jacket from the stairrailings of the house in which both lived. since appeared that the lot belonged to the Although it was clearly proved by a neighplaintiff, the defendant (under advice of Mr | bour that the jacket was taken by prisoner, Hazeland) admitted that he had no legal the latter did not depart from the "old to the re-opened Hotel d'Europe on the defence to the ejectment, and did not put cussum" of adding lying to dishonesty: which, however, had no effect whatever or

RUSSIAN ENCROACHMENT UPON CHINA. A correspondent makes the following remarks in a private letter, which is worth attention; "There appears to be a tendeney in many quarters, especially in Radica ones, to consider Russia as the natural ally of the United States. Is this opinion well fendant had appeared once, and constituted founded? Ought we not rather to look uphimself a suitor of the Court, it was not in on her as our natural rival, and that in a accordance with the proper procedure thus not remote future? That most ambitious books, which Mr Hayllar might consult: the heart of Europe, is steadily advancing but he should very much like to see any upon Asia in three different directions : by authority produced on the subject of with- way of Constautinople and Armenia, by drawing from a cause in this manner. He | way of Bokhara against India, and, what is distance to hear and decide upon the pre- on the other hand, are rapidly peopling the sent case: they were all here to-day, and Pacific States of North America, and when been put to the expense of being here, to the railroad to California is completed, the cause; and the practice of the it will be in a few months, that process will Court as drawn up would have to be fol- advance with accelerated velocity. We are a Pacific power as well as an Atlantic one: The thief Justice having directed that it is our essential interest, both military, the defendant should be called, in Court | political and commercial, to prevent China and outside, without any response, he then now to all appearances falling to pieces, addressed the Jury. He said that the de- from being absorbed by any great military fendant had not appeared; but he had ap- empire, especially by one so ambitious, and so inimical to Republicanism, or, in fact, action, and was thereby a suitor in this to any form of liberty, as Muscovy. Court : he did not appear now, however ; possession of India is not dangerous to the and according to the process of law, the other nations, for India is indolent, tena-Jury were justified in regarding the claim cious of its old ways, childish, invincibly ignorant, and incapable of rapid improvement and devolopment. China, on the contrary, has a population more than double that of India, a population remarkably active and industrious, and capable when His Lordship remarked that this would | their resources shall be developed by Euroentitle Mr Hayllar to costs, if he could get pean sciouce, of furnishing their conquerors them. The Judge then referred to a letter | with as great a public revenue as 400,000. which had been handed to the Registrar of | 000 of Europeans could. Truly a magnithe Court by Mr. Toller, and remarked ficent prize for Muscovite ambition; prize that throws into the shade the attracgular proceeding, to have handed it to the | tions of the 30,000,000 of slaves in Central and Southern Europe, whom she is so desirous to bring under her sway. The taxes of 400,000,000 of keen intelligent and enterprising Chinese, to suppor There was no reason why he should not sit vast armies; and powerful navies upon to-day, as in all matters he would conform the Pacific opposite California and. so far as possible with the practice of the gon, armies and navies to be filled manned, not by Chinese, but by bold and Mr Alexander (registrar) observed that | hardy Russians! It will be a race between the Celto-Gothic stock, (as I call the Ame rican,) and the slave-Tartar Muscovite which shall colonize the magnificent wilds

ous, unoccupied countries in Chinese The Jury having been dismissed, the tary and Eastern Siberia. Russia has the advantage of being in possession. the last few years she has usurped the better part of all Mantchooria. There she established in the basin of the Amoor, after waiting more than 150 years for the favoraable moment of the decline of the Manchoo dynasty, within a few hundred miles of l'ekin, and the wealthy, densely-peopled proinces of the north of China, each of which numbers its population by tens of millions The rich Chinese trade, the liberation of the serfs in Russia herself, (who are there) enabled to emigrate to any part of the empire without asking leave of a master. and the policy of the Czars, will surely tend to people this important and long-coveted frontier, and that rapidly, with colonies of Muscovite descent. The telegraph. ultimately the railroad, will connect them with St. Petersburg in perhaps less than quarter of a century. If a netty tribe, a few undred thousand Mantehoos, ignorant of discipline and military science, wretchedly armed with the matchlock or the bow and arrow, have sufficed to conquer China and hold it now for more than two centuries. what is likely to be their fate from a Russian population living almost within sight of China's great wall! The basin of the Amoor is very valuable for purposes of colonization tion, and is of great extent. It afford room for two great empires, each as extensive, popul us and powerful as France Germany. Can any reflecting mind doubt that the Russian or other white colonists of the Amoor will ultimately be masters of the almost fabulous resources of Chiua, and consequently rulers of the Pacific occan What a destiny for the Anglo-Saxon, or rather ('elto-Gothic race! And Russia by her recent seizure of the Amoor country, is the power that forestalls us, that has prevented and if she retains her hold, will forever pre vent the Partar coast of the Pacific from being peopled by one race and the blood of Western Europe and Germany ; the power that will turn the boundless resources China against us in the future! Viewed this light, I think reflecting men must come

On 13th November, the Captain of the French ship Amiral Gourbeyre being then Michael Fitzgerald, of the Piscataqua, in 12.55 of latitude and 85.13 of longitude, Happy Valley, and he did not leave off till board the Meinam. The Viceroy address of the car. The pieces which are representhe had got three-hours and a half's work ed a letter of thanks to His Excellency the ed form a railway repertoire, being so ar-Spain, free Cuba, and the Federal Repub- out of the coolies. He did not even stop Governor of the French Settlements in In- ranged the scenes terminate upon the arhere, though he left the chair and stopped | dia.

to the conclusion that Russia is not our

natural ally, but, on the contrary, our na-

tural rival. Let us not be deceived by her

interested caresses, nor permit ourselves for

merely temporary objects, to be made the

instruments, of the aggrandizement of that

colossal, ambitious, wily despotism which,

natural friend. - N. Y. World.

I repeat, is our natural rival and not our

THE FINAL INTERPRETATION OF THE OREGON TREATY

(San Francisco Bulletin.) If the Washington special which says that the British Government has abandoned her claim to the little island of San Juan, and will retire from the military occupancy which now exists jointly with the United States, is well founded, Reverdy Johnson ed him to pay \$1.50 of chair-hire, or go to has accomplished one good deed, besides having placed some others in train for equitable settlement. San Juan and adjacent islands, though not so expressly stated by the treaty of June 15, 1856, undoubtedly were intended to go to the United States. The words of the first

article are : "From the point on the 49th parallel of North latitude, where, etc., * * * the line of boundary between the territories of the United States and those of Her Brittanic Majesty shall be continued westward along the said 49th parallel of North latitude to the middle of the channel which separates the continent from Vancouver's Island, and thence southerly through middle of the said channel and of Fuca Straits to the Facific Ocean.

When the joint Commission of engineers working westward, reached the western shore of the main land, they could not agree upon which was the channel referred to by the treaty, and the commission was ultimateses the narrow channel between Chernanus settlement, on Vancouver, and Thetis Island; thence through Cowichan gap, and passing between North Saanich, another settlement, and Salt Spring Island, skirting Victoria and Esquimalt harbors, to the Straits of Fuca. This would give Salt Spring, Kuper, Thetis, and all the islands outside of them now held by the British, to the United States, and leave Vancouver Island south of 49, with a naked coast. support of this view, Lord Aberdeen's letter instruction to Mr. Pakenham, regarding! the draft of the proposed treaty is quoted which places the deflection from the 49th parallel, on this simple, ground: "Thus giving to Great Britain the whole of Vancouver's Island and its harbours.' The contemporaneous evidence collected

by the United States on the construction to be placed on the words, "the middle of the said channel," shows that the meaning of the Treaty was to draw the boundary line from a point on the 49th parallel in the middle of the Gulf of Georgia, which would be nearly half way between the mouth of the Fraser and the nearest land on the Vaucouver side, thence southeasterly down the gulf, leaving Plumper's Pass (the intercolonial steamer channel) to the west, to Java Head, into the Canal de Haro: thence Victoria and Esquimalt as before, to the Straits of Fuca. This throws Salt Spring Island, and all the Saturna group. well-defined cluster of islands, to the British, and leaves San Juan, Oreas, Lopez, Stuart Island, etc., a distinct and equally well-defined group, to the United States. The British Commissioner's first proposal was to start from near the point in the middle of the Gulf of Georgia opposite the mouth of the Frazer river, and thence run southeasterly through Rosario Strait, between Oreas Island and Washington Territory, thence almost direct south, leaving Cypress Island on the east and Blakely Island on the west to the open straits of Fuca. This would have stripped Washington Territory as bare of Islands as the first named line, Lord Aberdeen's, would have stripped Vancouver's Island. The Britisl Commissioner feeling that such a proposi tion never could be accepted, offered a compromise in which, starting from the common point in the Gulf of Georgia, he would have drawn the line round Java Head into the Canal de Haro, but there, justead of following it any further, he would have left San Juan Island on the west, passing between it and Oreas and thence out into the open straits by a very narrow, tortuous and shallow gap between the southeasternmost point of San Juan and Lopez Islands. All that could be said in favor of this proposal that it gave each nation what might be called a ship channel—the de Haro to the British, and the Rosario to the United States. The debateable islands between them being divided between the two powers, the British getting the chief and most valuable single island, san Juan, and the United States getting Orcas and other of less note, making larger area, though not quite so valuable a territory for agricultural purposes. The possessions of the two Governments would have been separated by a well-defined if not The United States Commissioner very

very practicable sailing channel, properly put his foot down on this as violation of the treaty. This gap between San Juan and Lopez Island never could have been in the popular phrase "the channel," and the duty of the Commissioner was clearly to interpret the existing treaty, and not make a new contract.

The best guide in settling the dispute has been the soundings, and therefore, instead of arguments, the Governments have gone to measurements. The Gulf of Georgia opposite the mouth of the Fraser river, and on the 49th parallel, is nearly 20 miles across and over 180 fathoms deep. A cross section, taken 15 miles further south shows the Canal De Haro to be twice the width of the Rosario strait, and while the latter has only 60 fathoms the former has nearly 120 fathoms. A cross section taken at 48 deg 35 min. shows the De Haro with 190 fathoms and the Rosario with only 30 fathoms. A cross section at 43 deg. 25 min. shows the De Haro with 105 fathoms and the Resario with 40 fathoms. If the word 'channel" in the treaty meant deep water, it clearly referred to the De Haro channel. This appears to be so conclusive that we can well understand that the British Government has conceded the ownership of San Juan Island to the United States, and adopted for the international boundary the line which is described above as being the interpretation of the treaty, based upon contemporaneous evidence collected by the United States.

A RAILROAD THEATRE. - A London paper of trade, of travel, of immigration, and the drew a knife on the coolie; for which a ship on fire, but which, he subsequently Manchester to Liverpool, a Mr Smith has offence Mr May fined him \$1, and ordered found, were signals of distress by the wreck- established a railroad theatre, and with a him to pay 50 cents to the coolie. Defended ed crew of the British ship Devislant, bound good result. Five long cars are arranged in such a manner as to form one long room. Simon Stoffels is a Dutchman and all rescued twenty-three men, whom he con- The top is vaulted and hung with chand seaman unemployed, and he yesterday veyed to Pondicherry, from which place the liers, which give a brilliant light. They

arival of the travellers at each station.

GET SLEEP ENOUGH. A young man in business must not fail to acknowledge one important mathematical fact:

He knows by experience about how many nours of sleep he needs to be as fresh one day as on the day preceding, and he must acknowledge the fact that he cannot sit up late and rise early and get the requisite amount of sleep. There is a right mathematical obstacle to the accomplishment of such a feat. If he needs seven hours sleep—as many young men do-or eight hours, as more young men do—he cannot get them between 1 and 7 o'clock in the morning. If he insists on late hours, he must neglect either his sleep at night or his business in the morning,

Nearly every young man has sufficient mathematical acuteness at 7 o'clock in the morning to appreciate the impossibility of taking one from seven and leaving eight. The question is whether or not he appreciates this impossibility in the evening when he is called upon to decide between a "jolly good time" and his bed.

One very frequent mistake is that lost sleep can be "made up." In the first place, whatever a Joung man may intend to do, he very seldom actually tries to "made up" for lost sleep. If he needs eight hours' sleep and gets but five, he usually makes the lost three hours by sleeply dissolved without the question being set- ing about an hour longer than usual the Our government construes the strict next night. Or perhaps he depends on ar of the preliminary agreement to have letter of the preliminary agreement to have contemplated a boundary line drawn from hours extra sleep "makes" up for ten hours lost. In the second place one hour of regular sleep is worth, for purposes of recuperation, at least two hours "make up" slumber.

There is, practically, no such thing a making up" lost sleep. If a young man determines to dispense with three hours of his regular sleep, he

must make up his mind to lose those three Every hour lost is a draft upon his physical and mental capital, his bodily vigor, his intellect. Now, we would by no means say that a man should never draw upon his capital, but it is certainly very bad policy to do so frequently. Far better live upon that daily income of freshness and vigor

which abundant and regular sleep insures. We do not propose to preach a sermon on "healthy, and wealthy, and wise." We simply protest against the idea that lost sleep can be "made up," and would remind our readers that however plausibly they may argue with themselves at 11 o'clock in the evening, figures will not lie for their accommodation in the morning.

The time at which temptation to keep late hours usually meet a young man is the carly part of the evening, when he is still fresh and does not realize the necessity of sleep. At 8 o'clock the theatres are opened. That is about the hour, too, that friends propose to "make a night of it," or to "have a good time:" No need of sleep is felt, and nothing but memory suggests any disagreeable results of "a little fun." The question to be answered by the judgment at such a time is not so much a question of personal comfort as of health and vigor. - New York Evening Mail.

A ROMANTIC LAW CASE.

The Courts of law will in all probability be occupied early in the ensuing session with one of those remarkable cases which so often occur in romances and so seldom is real life. It appears that about one hundred and twenty years ago a large estate close to one of the most important English manufacturing towns was in the possession of the great-grandfather of the parties to the present suit. Since then the land has been built upon to a great extent, and now forms the most wealthy suburb of the town in question. At the death of the owner, his eldest son, finding that there was no will, naturally claimed the estate. The children of a second marriage, however, who had never lived on good terms with their half brother, protested against his title, on the ground that his parents had ! never been married, and that he was consequently illegitimate. It seemed at first that there was no ground for this statement. The parents had always been received in society, and-no one had ever heard of any scandal in connection with them. On making inquiry, it was, however, found impossible to discover any trace of the marriage, and the eldest son was forced to submit, and to leave the home he had always considered his own without a shilling. He went into town, and embarked in trade, apparently without much success, for his grandson is at the present time a shoemaker in a back street, and in a very small way of business. The tradition of the lost estate has, however, always been preserved. and sometime since this descendant of the elder son recommenced the search for proof of the marriage in question. After much crouble, he succeeded in getting at the copies of the registers which are preserved in the Chancery at Chester, and there, in the index, he discovered, somewhat earlier than was expected, the names of the original possessor of the estate and his first wife. There was, however, no such entry in the oody of the book. At last, however, on going through it for the last time, it was iscovered that two leaves had been fastened together, and on their being separated a copy of the entry of the marriage from the ooks of a Manchester church was duly found. On referring back to the church itself the book was produced, but the entry was not there. Further examination showed, however, that this book had also been tampered with, but in a different way -a leaf had been cut out with seissors, and the marks were even then distinctly visible.

On these facts the action will be brought, and when it is remembered that the present family have been in possession for nearly a century, and that they are highly respected, and their members married amongst the wealthiest people in the country, it may readily be imagined that the matter is creating a good deal of interest. The value of the property at stake is between one and two hundred thousand pounds. - English paper.

FATHER AND SON. -A gentleman was chiding his son for staying out late at night -or rather early next morning—and said— "Why, when I was of your age, my father has the following:—Upon the lines from would not allow me to go out of the house after dark !" "Then you had a deuce of father, you had," sneered the young profligate. Whereupon the father very rashing vociferated, "I had a confounded sight better'n than you, you young rascal!"

In 1848 the whole length of telegraph

Ir a woman were to change her sex, what sort of a being would she become? She would be a he then-a heathen,

H. PESTONJEE SETNA, At Mesers P. & A. C. CAMAJEE & Co.'s Office.

Queen's Road. Hongkong, December 1, 1868.

· TO LET. With Immediate Possession. NWO Two-Storied Granite GODOWNS at Wanchi, adjoining the Timber Yard of the Union Duck Company.

Apply to LANDSTEIN & Co. Hongkong, November, 23, 1868.

TO LET. 11/1TH immediate possession, the House and Offices, No. 4, Gough Street, lately occupied by Messrs A. WILKINSON &

Apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, October 14, 1868,

TO LET. CONVENIENTLY situated HOUSE in Chancery Lane, Rent moderate. Apply to

ARNHOLD KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, October 5, 1868. TO LET. THREE Spacious GODOWNS suitable Bank Buildings, Queen's Road. for storing dry Goods; also a Fireproof Hongkong, March 11, 1868.

GODOWN capable of containing 1,000. chests of Opium, Situated in the most central part of Queen's Road. Apply to J. F. ROSE, Secretary, Hongkong Hotel Company, Limited. Hongkong, August 12, 1868.

TWO HOUSES TO BE LET LECENTLY put in thorough Repair, si-The tuated on the Rise of THE HILL, Westward, and an easy distance from the Queen's Road, Apply to MR. BARRINGTON.

Wundhum Street.

Hongkong, May 13, 1868. LIGHTERAGE AND STORAGE. THE Undersigned will undertake to land Cotton, Rice, Coals, and other Merchandise, in their own Boats, and to receive the same on STORAGE in First-class Granite godowns, on Moderate Terms. ROB. S. WALKER & Co.

NOTICE.

Hongkong, March 4, 1866.

TO LET. MHE desirable PREMISES on the Queen' Road, lately in the occupation of the Asiatic Bank.

For particulars, apply to SMITH, ARCHER & Co. Hongkong, May 18, 1868.

TO LET. THE BUSINESS PREMISES, formerly 1 occupied by Messrs Arnhold, Kar-BERG & Co., consisting of Dwelling House, Offices, and spacious Godowns. Possession to be had on the 1st March.

Apply to JOHN BURD & Co. Hongkong, February 22, 1868.

TO BE LET. TWO New and Strong GODOWNS on Maxine Lot No. 63. Apply to

GAVIN THOMPSON, at GIBB, LIVIN ISTON & Co.'s. Hengkong, December 16, 1867. TO LET.

four Rooms and Out Houses; Rent \$28 per month. Apply at the Victoria Foundry. Hongkong, March 12, 1868.

intimations.

LOTTERY. TWO DRAWING-ROOM SELF-ACTING ORGANS. HE above are very fine Instruments, and an Ornament to a Drawing-Room. 100 chances at \$5 each. They are on view on the premises, 58 and 60, Wellington street, up to the date of drawing-24th December, 1868, at 1 o'clock p.m., providing the lottery be filled up.

First prize, large Organ; second, small F. DA CUNHA & Co. Hongkong, December 7, 1868.

JOHN THOMPSON & Co., TAISPENSING & ANALYTICAL CHEMISTS

SODA WATER MANUFACTURERS.

Ships' Medicine Chests supplied and refitted. "TEETH EXTRACTED." INTERNATIONAL DISPENSARY. 23. Wellington Street:

Hougkong, May 9, 1868.

GEORGE GLASSE, FIVE YEARS MANAGER TO KINGSFORD & Co., PICCADILLY

LONDON, AND 28, PLACE VENDOME, PARIS) ENGLISH A ND FOREIGN CHEMIST

VICTORIA DISPENSARY, HONGKONG. SHIPS' MEDICINE CHESTS

SUPPLIED & REFITTED. Hongkong, May 1, 1867.

EASTLACK & WINN.

Surgeon Dentists, HONGKONG & SHANGHAL

BROWN, JONES & Ca., UNDERTAKERS. A CONUMENTS and HEAD-STONES IF ERECTED, in the Best Style. LEAD and METALLIC COFFINS, on the Shortest Notice. Apply at Hollywood Road, Corner of Aberdeen St.

1st Class (Private Room), per day, \$3.00 1 (2 Beds in ea.)

3rd ,, (Public Wards), ,, ,, \$1.00 These Charges are inclusive of all Medi-HOUSE in Spring Gardens, containing cines and Attendances, but exclusive of Wines or Articles not in the recognised Dietary Table.

All orders for Admission to Hospital must be countersigned by some responsible Per son or Persons resident in the Colony. Patients are also admitted on Deposits at the following rates, renewable one day previous to the amount deposited having been expended:

By order, W. PATERSON,

Treasurer. Hongkong, January 1, 1868.

PATERSON & HANDLEY.

House and Ship Plumbers, Copper and Zinc Workers, and Gas Fitters. 16, Queen's Load West, and Acheong's Yard, Praya West. Hongkong, November 4, 1867.

WHE Members of the late Hongkong Volunteer Corps are hereby requested to return without delay to the Undersigned the RIFLES they have been allowed to retain pending sanction for their purchase, the same not having been allowed.

Hongkong, March 13, 1867. Published weekly. -Subscription (Exclusive of postage) Tls. 12 per annum; payable

i i advance. SUPREME COURT

AND CONSULAR GAZETTE, LAW REPORTER FOR THE SUPREME AND PROVINCIAL COURTS OF CHINA

and Japan, HE Gazette is a General Weekly Newspa-per, containing Officially Revised Reports of Cases heard at the Supreme and Consular Courts, Police Cases, and Proceedings in Bankruptcy; Original Articles; Notes and Queries on Legal points; Reports of Public Meetings; News of the Week, Commercial

Summary, &c., &c. Advertisements will be charged Tla. 1 per 10 lines, for the first insertion, and 50 ots, per 10 lines, for each subsequent inser-

Shanghai, January, 1867.

NOTICE. 1) ENTS and Accounts COLLECTED with It punctuality and despatch.

Distraint WARRANTS for Rent IS-SUED and EXECUTED. Security, if required.
THOS. W. BARRINGTON,

53, Wyndham Street. Hongkong, February 17, 1868,

Intimations.

Intimations.

SHIP-CHANDLERS, SAILMAKERS,

GENERAL STOREKERPERS.

COMMISSION AGENTS.

Queen's Road, HONGKONG.

ANDREW MILLAR,

PLUMBER.

BELLEVUE HOUSE.

PRIVATE BOARD AND LODGING

Hollywood Road, No. 6, next to the

HOTEL D'EUROPE, lately Mrs VINTON'S.

FAWCETT & Co.,

GENERAL STORE KEEPERS, AND

COMMISSION AGENTS,

Wyndham Street, Hongkong.

PORTRAITS.

MAR. J. THOMSON is prepared to take

IM PORTRAITS, VIEWS and other

PHOTOGRAPHS.—Rooms, Commercial

"STAG HOTEL."

SITUATE IN QUEEN'S ROAD.

1) ERSONS and FAMILIES requiring Su-

it at the above Establishment.

Dinner.

Scientific American, China Punch,

Hongkong, May 4, 1868.

Refreshments provided at all hours.

Regular Daily Mess at \$30 per month.

The undermentioned Papers are filed:

Illustrated London News, Punch, Engineer,

10ED DRINKS,

C. L. VOLKMANN.

Private Boarding Establishment.

29, HOLLYWOOD ROAD,

HONGKONG.

SEAMEN'S HOSPITAL,

TRUSTEES-

The Honourable W. KESWICK, Esq.,

The Superintendent of the P. & O. S. N.

W. STANLEY ADAMS, M.D., Resident Sur-

W. PATERSON, Esq., Hon. Treasurer.

TERMS OF ADMISSION-

HONGKONG.

Hongkong, January 7, 1868.

The Colonial Secretary,

Company, (ex officio),

Mr Young, House Surgeon,

GEO. HEARD, Esq.,

China Mail, Daily Press, China Express,

perior Hotel Accommodation will find

EDMUND R. HOLMES,

Proprietor.

WINE & SPIRIT MERCHANTS, GENERAL STORE KEEPERS, AND

ESTABLI: HMENT.

Hongkong, October 28, 1868.

Hongkong, December 8, 1868,

No. 1, Queen's Road East

and Nullah Lane.

CHARLES F. SEABURG.

FRICKEL & Co

NOTICE. HE Office of the Undersigned has this day been Removed to No. 22 B, corner of STANLEY and POTTINGER STREETS. GRUN & Co. Hongkong, December 17, 1868.

NOTICE. AOCUMENTS Translated, at reasonable Derates, from English, French, Spanish, TIOUSE, SHIP, & STEAM-BOAT Italian, Portuguese or German into Chinese, or from Chinese into English. Ad-COPPERSMITH & BRASSFOUNDER.

> The "China Mail" Office, 2, Wyndham Street, Hongkong.

FOLMOSA COAL DEPOT AT KILUNG LAS on hand a large Stock of COAL of best quality, and is prepared to supply Steamers and Sailing Vessels with quick despatch at Current Rates, or deliver the same under Contract, at Hongkong and any Treaty Port in China.

The Depot drawing supplies from the best Mines only, intends to provide a superior article, free of the Surface Coal that has hitherto prejudiced consumers. MILISCH & Co.,

A gents. Kilung, April 2, 1868.

HOLLOWAY'S PILLS & OINTMENT. HOLLOWAY'S PILLS. HIS Medicine is universally admitted L to be the most efficacious remedy as this fine and invigorating medicine. If is particularly adapted to the constitution of European ladies, as it is never failing in its effects in all diseases peculiar to females. while those who are attenuated by the debilitating effects of the above climates will find in this wonderful remedy a kind of talisman whereby they may insure a restoration to robust health.

HOLLOWAY'S OINTMENT. The science of Medicine has never before produced any remedy that can be compared to this wonderful Ointment, as it cures after all other means have failed, all wounds, sores, ulcers, and also the most inveterate skin diseases peopliar to the climates of India and China. It is the true friend of the Soldier and Civilian, as certain old sores can be removed by it that cannot be conquered by any other treat-

Hongkong, February 1, 1867.

For Sale.

S. W. BAKER & Co., DEG to invite inspection of their New

D ST. CK for the Season, received per late arrivals, including :--Ladies' Hats, Bonnets, Opera Cloaks,

Dresses in plain and fancy Silks, Poplinettes, Reps, and new Textures, French Robes, ready made, French Sashes, Belts. Jackets and Mantles, new shape Jupons, white and scarlet Corsets, Lace Falls, Lace and other Trimmings, Ribbons, and Rib bon Velvets in all colors, Hosiery, Kid, Cashmere, and Bronze Boots, white Satin Boots and Kid Gloves. A large assortment of Wool and Embroidery Works, as Cushion Patterns, Smoking Caps, Masala Sets, &c.

Sangster's Umbrellas, Christy's new shape Felt and Shell Hats, a choice lot of Neck Scarfs, Ties, Wrappers, Collars, Socks, Fancy Tweeds and Coatings, Braces, &c.

Brussels Carpets, Velvet Pile Carpets and Rugs, All Wool Damasks, Lace Curtains. Table Covers in great variety, Damask Table Cloths in all sizes, Table Napkins, D'Oyleys, Blankets, Counterpanes, Sheetings, Flannels, Wool Mats, Turkish and other Towels, &c.

Children's Trimmed Hats, Boots, Perambulators, Picture Books, Toys, &c.

Dressing Cases, and Travelling Bags fitted, for Ladies and Gentlemen, Playing Cards, and a large assortment of Stationery and Perfumery Goods. S. W. BAKER & Co.

Hongkong, December 22, 1868.

FOR SALE.

Ex "Whitehall," "Red Deer," and other BASS'S ALE in hogsheads and kilderkins.

do. in glass, quarts and pints. Guinness's Dublin STOUT in qts. and pts. Barclay & Co's, PORTER in wood,

Hennessy's Pale BRANDY in bottle. Gates & Co's, superior Pale BRANDY in Barlaresque's superior fine Champagnu CUGNAC

Duff Gordon's SHERRIES, from \$7.50 to \$13 per dozen. Light dinner SHERRY at \$6 per dozen, Tawny Old PORT Full flavored fruity PORT,

Swain and Boord's Ginger WINE and Ginger BRANDY. Oilman's Stores of every description, from Crosse & Blackwell and J. T. Morton; | Eevning Dresses - Velvets. Compton Brothers' HAMS, CHEESE and BACON. Oxford, Cambridge and German

SAUSAGES, Paté de Fois Gras TRUFFE. Assorted Trufffed Game and Meat Pates Perigord TRUFFLES, at LAMMERT ATKINSON & Co. Hongkong, December 14, 1868.

FOR SALE. HE Undersigned offer for Sale at very | Shawls moderate prices a choice Assortment of fine flavored Rhenish WINES, as: Genuine JOHANNESBERGER

C BINET. STEINBERGER CABINET. MARCOBRUNNER CABINET. SCHARLAUHBERGER. LIEBFRAUEN MILCH, NIERENSTEINER, in quarts and pints.
JUNEPHSHOFER. RUDESHEIMER RERG.

SELIZER WATER, in querts and pints. Ruinart Perè & File CHAMP GNE, in quarts and pints. Gabpar Testulat's CHAMPAGNE, in qts. and pints. Perrier Jouet's CHAMPAGNE,

Jules Mumin Adulph Collins Bouzy MOUSSEUX. Eugane CLIQUOT, CABINET, Duc de Montebello CORDON, in quart.

Sparkling HOCK, After Dinuer CLARET, in pints.
LAMMERT ATKINSON & Co. Hongkong, December 14, 1868.

For Safe.

FOR SALE. Ex Recent Arrivals. MERICAN Prime Mess BEEF, in bar-A rels and half-barrels. Hamburg Prime Mess BEEF, in barrels.

Prime Danish BUTTER, in 7 lb. tins, quite fresh. Muller's celebrated LAGERBIER, cases of 4 doz. quarts at \$8 per case. Deetjen's Bremen PALISALE in quarts,

LAMMERT ATKINSON & Co. Hongkong, December 14, 1868.

FOR SALE. to & D. Henry's best Government Navy CANVAS: constantly on hand at LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. Hongkong, December 14, 1868.

FOR SALE. Ex "Finzel," " Red Deer," &c. I UBBUCK's boiled Linseed OIL, in drums and wood. Hubbuck's raw Linseed OlL, in drume and wood. Hubbuck's bright VARNISH, in barrels. Spirits of TURPENTINE, in

Hubbuck's best white ZINC, white LEAD, dry red LEAD, black, green and blue PAINTS, &c., &c. Peacock's patent Composition, rigging LEATHER, Pump LEATHER, Deep Sea known to the world. No preparation is so Lead LINES, hand Lead LINES, Log suitable to the climates of India and China LINES, signal HALYARDS. Assorted colors BUNTING. Beat English Split PEAS, in barrels, at LAMMERT ATKINSON & Co.

Hongkong, December 14, 1868. Just Received from " Rotterdam." 17) YNAUD Foking's Double ORANGE CURACOA. Wynaud Foking's white CURACOA. AVH GIN in white and square bottles.

Pomeranzen BITTERS. LAMMERT, ATKINSON &.Co. Hongkong, December 14, 1868. Just Received from France and for Sale by

the Undersigned. Fresh supply of BUTTER in Bottles. in finest condition. Gruyere CHEESE. French CHOCOLATE at 75c. per lb. A fine assortment of French BONBONS, and CONFECTIONERY.

FRUITS in juice, from Teyssonneau. Do. in Brandy Crystallized FRUIT, BONBONS with Mottoes, &c. A large assortment of VEGETABLES in tins. MACCARONI and VERMICEL

LI. French MUSTARD, French Salad OH, French white Wine VINEGAR. LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. Hongkong, December 14, 1868. EX RED DEER & DUNKELD. IFOR SALE, at moderate prices and in lots

to suit purchasers:-Prime Strasburg BACON. North Wilts CHEESE. Scotch WHISKY, "Mountain Dew." Guinness' STOUT in pints. do. in quarts. $\mathbf{D_{0}}$ Bass' ALE in pints. Do. ,, in quarts. Apply to

J. F. ROSE, Wellington Street. Hongkong, December 21, 1868.

NOTICE. MR. J. THOMSON begs to intimate that he is now publishing a Series of 40 VIEWS OF HONGRONG, price \$25 :-10 Views from Plates, 14 by 12 4 Small instantaneous Subjects from the Dragon Procession. Hongkong, September 4, 1868.

FOR SALE. I \RAUGHT PORTER in Kilderkins. Apply to HOWARD HODGES. Hongkong, August 27, 1868.

FOR SALE, Ex Zephyr, from Sydney. Tons best screened Steam COAL. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, December 5, 1868.

SAYLE & Co., VICTORIA EXCHANGE. QUEEN'S ROAD,

The ESPECTFULLY solicit inspec-It tion of their New GOUDS, in the following Departments.

SILKS. RIBBONS. - Fanoy Dresses HOSIERY. - Trimmings HABERDASHERY.

Manchester — Prints. MANTLES. - Jackets. BONNETS. - Ladies' Outfits. Millinery

BABY LINEN. Gentlemen's Hats- Gloves. HOSIERY. - Tweeds. Tailoring in all its Branches,

PERFUMERY, &c. Household Lineus- Blankets. CARPETS.

FURNISHING DRAPERY. Etc., Etc.

P.S.—The Dress-making, Millinery

and Tailoring are under the Superintendence of experienced West End Hongkong, November 12, 1868.

For Sale.

PAYNE AND COMPANY, BELATEE BUNGALOW, Calcutta.

ESTABLISHED HALF A GENTURY WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEPOT FOR THE SALE OF THEIR RENOWNED Chutnies and Indian Condiments Namely.

Bengal Club Chutney Lucknow Chutney Per hhd. £25. ... Cashmere Chutney Per doz. qts. 30s. . Pindaree Chutney Per doz. pts. 21s . Col. Skinner's C'ney "Major Gray's C'nev "Pickled Mangoes, 100 in barrel,

, Mulligatawnee Paste Per doz. qts. 30s , Curry Paste Per doz. pts. 20s Curry Powder Per lb. , Tamarind Fish, 100 slices in barrel, Tamarind Fish Rose $\frac{1}{2}$ gal. square. Mangoe Fish Roses bottle Smoked Mangoe Fish,

100 in tins. Chili Vinegar Per bottle Cayenne Pepper Per bottle. 28 JAMS AND JELLIES. 2-lb, tins 1-lb, tins, Guava Jelly Tipparee Jam

Preserved Limes. P'erved Mangoes " Pine Apple Jelly [5] Pickled Limes Bael Preserve

Bengal Humps Is 6d per 1b. N. B.-Chutnies, Curry Powders, and Pastes, shipped in bulk, to any quarter of the Globe. Payne and Co., Have always on hand a large Stock of

superior MANILA CIGARS, of all sizes. Terms: Remittance, or reference in Cal cutta, to accompany order. For orders over £25, 20 per cent discount will be allowed, all Goods free on board in Calcutta.

FOR SALE.

AT THE "CHINA MAIL" OFFICE

THE following SETS of the "CHINA PUNOH" can be obtained, stitched in paper wrappers, at the rate of 25 cents per copy viz :--

Price. ., complete from Also a few separate copies of Nos.1, 2, 3, 7, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, and from 19 to 24 C. A. SAINT.

FOR SALE. VELLOW METAL 16 to 28 oz. and Naila. Apply to GIBB. LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, September 15, 1868.

FOR SALE. MANIGA HARD WOOD. Consisting of MOLAVES. BANABAS, ARANGAS.

And other descriptions. Apply to LANDSTEIN & Co. Hongkong, August 11, 1868. COCIAL LIFE OF THE CHINESE

in 2 Volumes, by Revd. Justus DOOLITTLE, is For Sale at Messrs LANE CRAWFORD & Co., Hongkong and Shanghai. Price, \$5.00. Hongkong, March 20, 1868. 20mar-69 FOR SALE.

HE New Superior Manila CIGAR in cases of 200 each. BIELFELD AND ZACHARIAE, Hongkong, November 9, 1868. JUST RECEIVED. Ex "Great Republic." A NDERSON'S Solace TOBACCO.

Amber MOUTHPIECES. Cherrywood STEMS. CIGARHOLDERS. Ex "Salve." Superior Cavite CIGARS. BIELFELD & ZACHARIÆ,

Ex " Mail Steamer."

Hongkong, August 4, 1868. FOR SALE AT EAST POINT. Complete assortment of Lowmoor and A Thornycroft PLATE, and Sheet IRON, BAR, ROD, Angle IRON and RIVETS. Double Shear, Spring and Blister STEEL, in round, square and flat bars. Babbits METAL, Muntz Yellow METAL, Copper PLATES, Rods and Pipes. Gas FITTINGS of every description. Boiler TUBES, Pressure GUAGES. FILES, PACKING and all kinds of Engineer's Supplies.

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, September 1, 1868. mar10 NOTICE. OW Publishing, a series of Photographic Views of Hongkong, Canton and Macao, Characteristic Groups etc., etc., by the

Undersigned; about 150 Photographs to select from In sets of 50 mounted,.....price, \$30. ,, ,, 50 unmounted, ... ,, $\frac{1}{2}$, $\frac{1}{2}$, $\frac{1}{2}$, $\frac{1}{2}$, $\frac{1}{2}$ FLOYD & Co. Hongkong, September 21, 1868.

FOR SALE. HE desirable PROPERTY on Queen's Road, lately occupied by Messra SMITH KENNEDY & Co. For further particulars, apply to SMITH, ARCHER & Co.

Hongkong, September 2, 1867. ATHAM'S BRANDY in 1 doz. cases. SHERRY ,, 3 CLARET

BÍRLEY & Co. Hongkong, April 9, 1867. STEAM COALS. For Sale from Store, or deliverable on Board NGLISH-Londonderry West Hartley.
Davisson's West Hartley, Straker's

West Hartley. WELSH-Blaengware Marthyr.
Apply to ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, March 16, 1866.

For Sale.

FOR SALE. OTOVES-STOVES-STOVES.

Apply to L. FRICKEL & Co. Hongkong, January 2, 1869.

FOR SALE. Ex "Lota," TATIRE ROPE from I'm, to 3 in. Galvanized Jib HANKS, 2 m. to 34 in. Superior Bottled ALE and Guilmess STOUT. Pump LEATHER. Apply to .

FAWCETT & Co. Hongkong, January 4, 1869.

FOR SALE. THE Well-known Racing Pony ALARM, LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, December 5, 1868. FOR SALE.

HEET ZINC. Sheet LEAD. Galvanized RODS. Boiler PLATES. Brown Sheathing FELT. Yellow Metal Stern PLATES. BOLTS and NUTS.

Hongkong, December 4, 1868. FOR SALE.

VFF & GORDON'S PALE SHERRY in 1 doz. cases. Bass ALE in qts. Bass ALE in pints. Guinness STOUT, in qts. do., in pints. Hennessy BRANDY Kinahan L. L. WHISKY. -

RAY & Co. Hongkong, December 4, 1868. SELLING OFF AT COST PRICES. THE Undersigned, being about to close their business at this port, are now offering the whole of their "Immense Stock " at t OST PRICE. THOS. HUNT & Co.

Hongkong, December 3, 1868. COALS. HE Undersigned are prepared to Coal Steamers on the most reasonable terms from a Cargo of English Steam Coals now affoat in this Harbour or from fresh Welsh and Australian Coals in Store. ROB, S. WALKER & Co. Hongkon September 22, 1868.

FOR SALE, Just Received. 500 Barrels PORTLAND CEMENT. FREDERIC DEGENAER, 3, d'Aguilar Street. Hougkong, September 12, 1868.

FOR SALE. Ex S.S. "TIGRE." FEW Bags of Mocha COFFEE, @ \$7 per bag of 28 lb. Apply to

G. DUBOST & Co. Hongkong, August 31, 1868. FOR SALE. OALS suitable for Household purposes. ROB. S. WALKER & Co.

Hongkong, Cetober 8, 1868.

FOR SALE. ULES MUMM & Co.'s CHAMPAGNE. Mumm & Co.'s HOCK & MOSLELE, ots, and pts. Chillingworth's SHERRY and PORT. CHAMBERTIN, WHISKEY. WHITE & PRICE'S BRANDY. ALLSOPP'S ALE, draught and bottle. BARCLAY & GUINNESS' STOUT. BRIDGES & SONS' PORTER. ROB. S. WALKER & Co.

FOR SALE 150 CASES Martinez' Aromatic BIT-TERS, superior quality. 100 cases SHERRY. 100 ,, PORT. MULLER & CLAUSSEN.

Hongkoug November 20, 1867.

Hongkong, January 13, 1868. NEW BOOK, ' HE Speculations of 'The Old Philosopher' LAU-TSZE Translated from the Chinese

JOHN CHALMERS, A.M. Price \$1.50. "The Origin of the Chinese" buthe same outhor: Price \$1. Apply at Messrs Lane, Crawford & Co. or The London Mission House. Hongkong, October 17, 1868.

FOR SALE, DHOTOGRAPHIC APPARATUS, complete. MULLER & CLAUSSEN. Hongkong, January 13, 1868.

FOR SALE. VELLOW METAL, 18 to 28 oz. Muntz and Vivians. JOHN BURD & Co. Hongkong, April 5, 1867.

FOR SALE. UNTZ's Yellow METAL, 20/28 oz. and MAILS. Vivian's Patent Yellow METAL Keel PLATES, 12lbs. and 13lb. with NAILS. Apply to HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

FOR SALE. HE Copyright and Plant of the Shang. hai Recorder, Daily Newspaper, and Supreme Court and Consular Gazette, Weekly Newspaper, or one-half interest in Tenders to be received on or before the 20th instant. For particulars, apply at the Shanghai, 5th December, 1868.

Hongkong, June 14, 1867.

DRINTING PAPER. HESSE & Co. Hongkong, June 19, 1868. Printed & Published by CHARLES ABRAHAM SAINT, Proprietor, at No. 2, Wyndham Street, Victoria, Hongkong,

FOR SALE.

recei Sealed Bo wind the I All corres Insufficie oharg Letters p stant

MAILS

nary New

on t

be p

on t

All Lette

The lates

Further,

Offic

Bool

Inst

dress

poste to 8

Late paid. Letters in addre us po given 8 P.M turne Postage 8 may li when lower

Payment.i in the Money Or Offices grante Hongkor

1.—On 1

3.—Orde

dom upon

All transa

lar wi

1864,

therei

forward M this Office Shanghai a Order Offic exceeding Current fo Commissiot Scale, viz. For sum Above \mathfrak{L} **32.**—No tional part

hama, will at which M the time of Money Or dom, shev are bituate ence at the and Yokoh 5.—App furnish, in the initial the Remit ter or Pay dinary titl usual desp " Baring mere term vington," ing under the names as "Carro 6,—The der is to be have the o the name Order will Cheques as are intend 7. - Whe a Bank, a

presented. the employ 8.—The ney Order place prov Payee be t receipt by of a Witne his addres who pays 9.—Sho desire to r which the Office that ginally du provided Postmaste drawn. issued, th which will the new O 10.—lu

floient, pro

the name

miscarryiu be grante: the Paye particulars tional Con Original C

tion, order

in. to 3 in. Gal-KS, 2 m. to 3½ in. and Guibness'

WCETT & Co.

g Pony ALARM. VFORD & Oc. 1868.

LATES. RAY & Co. 71868. 'ALE-SHERRY

RAY & Co. 1868. 4fe OST PRICES. g about to close s port-are now heir "Immense HUNT & Co.

prepared to Coal most reasonable dish Steam Coals ur or from fresh is in Store. ALKER & Co. 2, 1868 HERE

ND CEMENT DEGENAER. lar Street. 1868. tf COFFEE, @ \$7

UBOST & Co. cehold purposes. KER & Co.

HAMPAGNE. & MOSLELE. and PORT. and bottle. TOUT.

1867. Aromatic BITiality. CLAUSSEN.

KER & Co.

sopher Chinese

BAWFORD & Co. RATUS, com-

CLAUSSEN. 28 oz. Muntz

20/28 oz. and

URD & Co.

METAL Keel m PAILS. WISE & Co.

of the Shang. ewspaper, and ular Cazette, alf interest in or before the s, apply at the

ESSE & Co.

ALEH ABRAHAM 2, Wyndham

Post-Office Notifications.

MAILS BY THE "RANGOON."-The Contract Packet " RANGOON will be open for the reception of Ordi-(papy Letters, Letters for Registration, on the 25th Instant. Letters, &c., may

following morning, All Letters posted between 7 and 8 A.M. on the 26th Instant, will be chargeable in addition to the usual postage, with a Late Fee of 18 cents.

The latest time for posting Letters at this ference to a Lapsed Order, in which case the Office is 8 A.M. and for Newspapers, Books, or Patterns 7 A. M. on the 26th

Further, late letters (but Letters only) addressed to the United Kingdom via Marseilles or to Singapore, may posted on board the Packet from 18. to 8.50 A.M. on payment of a late fee of, 48 cents each, in addition to the postage, after which no Letters can be received.

Sealed Boxes containing the correspondence of Box Holders will be received at the window set apart for the purpose, on the East Side of the building.

All correspondence for places to which prein Hongkong Postage Stamps, Insufficiently-stamped/Letters addressed the United Kingdom will be sent on,

charged with a fine of One Shilling in addition to the postage. Letters posted after 7 A.M. on the 26th stant will not be forwarded unless the Late Fee as well as the postage is pre-

Letters insufficiently stamped or unstamped addressed to places to which they cannot be forwarded unpaid, will be open ed and returned to the writers as ear as possible, but no guarantee can given that such Letters, if posted after 8 P.M. on the 25th Instant, will be re turned until after the mail is closed.

Postage Stamps should be placed on the upper right hand corner of the correspondence, except in cases where they may be used in payment of "Late Fees, when the Stamp or Stamps representing the late fee should be placed on the lower left-hand corner.

All transactions in fractional parts of a Dolof a Dollar.

in the current Dollars of the Colony or | the issue of Money Orders. Bank Notes. Money Orders on any of the Money Order Offices in the United Kingdom will be

granted until 5 P.M. on the 25th inst.

F. W. MITCHELL

Postmaster General General Post-Office. Hongkong, January 12, 1869.

1.—On the 1st October next, and thence forward Money Orders will be issued at this Office and at the Agencies thereof at Shanghai and Yokohama on all the Money Order Offices in the United Kingdom Great Britain and Ireland, for amounts not exceeding £10, at the rate of Exchange Current for Each Mail, and charged with Commission according to the following

Scale, viz.: For sums not exceeding £2,.....12 Above £2 and not exceeding £ 5,...24 Could £5 bette outling to H. .. £ 7,....42

[国2.—No Money Order to include a fractional part of a Penny.

3.-Orders drawn in the United Kingdom upon Hongkong, Shanghai, and Yokobama, will be paid at the rate of Exchange at which Money Orders are being issued at the time of their presentation.

¹⁴4.—Alphabetical Lists of over 3,70 Money Order Offices in the United King dom, shewing the Counties in which the are laituated, are hung up for public refer ence at this Office, and also at Shanghai and Yokohama.

5.—Applicants for Money Orders must furnish, in full, the surname, and, at least, the initial of one Christian name, both o the Remitter and the Payee; if the Remitter or Pavee be a Peer or a Bishop, his or dinary title will be sufficient, if a firm, the usual designation of such firm, such "Baring Brothers" will suffice; but the mere term Messrs., such as "Messrs. Ri vington," or the name of a Company trading under a title which does not consist of the names of the persons composing it, such as "Carron Co." is inadmissible.

6.—The Remitter on stating that the Order is to be paid only through a Bank, to have the option of giving or withdrawing the name of the Payee; in such case, the Order will be crossed in the same way that Cheques are commonly crossed when they are intended to be paid through a Bank.

7.—When an Order is presented through a Bank, a receipt by any person will be sufficient, provided the Order be crossed with nees and Masters of Vessels, to their Estathe name of the receiving Bank, and be blishment at Hongkong and Whampoa, for presented by some Person known to be in the DOCKING and REPAIRING of Ves-

the employ of such Bank. 8.—The signature of the Payee of a Mo- At Hongkong the Company have the Above 1 month and ney Order to be affixed to the Order in the only Dock in the harbour, -a Granite place provided for the purpose. If the Dock, solidly built, and of dimensions to Above 3 months, and Pavee be unable to write he must sign the admit Ships of 350 feet in length, and receipt by making his mark in the presence drawing 22 feet of water. of a Witness, who must sign his name, with Attached to it there are Shipwrights. his address in the presence of the Officer Blacksmiths, Boiler-makers and Machinery Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Company.

who pays the Order. 9.—Should the Payee of a Money Order | Repairs of Sailing Vessels or Steamers. desire to receive payment in the Country in | The Company have also opened a Shipwhich the Order was issued, at some other | yard by the side of the Hongkong Dock, Office than that in which the Order was ori- and are ready to contract for the construcginally drawn, the transfer will be granted, tion of Steamers or Sailing Vessels of any provided the Order be inclosed to the size. Postmaster of the Office in which it was At Whampon the Company have four Insurance, viz:-drawn. In such case a new Order will be Docks, in which they will take Ships at Detached and Semi-detached issued, the Commission chargeable upon reduced rates. which will be deducted from the amount of The Steam Tug "LITTLE ORPHAN"

the new Order. 10.-In the event of a Money Order berth them, at reasonable rates. miscarrying or being jost, a duplicate will For particulars, apply to be granted on a written application from the Payee, (containing the necessary) particulars, and accompanied by an additional Commission) to the Office where the

Original Order was payable. · 11.—On the receipt of a similar applica- Company's Office, H: kong Hotel Building, tion; orders will be given to stop payment Hongkong, October 10, 1868,

Post-Office Notlacations.

of a Money Order, or to renew a lapsed Order. The additional Commission in the will be dispatched with the usual Mails last case will be deducted from the amount for Europe, &c., on TUESDAY, the 26th of the new Order. Lapsed Orders must be Instant, at 9 A.M., and the Post Office | presented with the application for a new

12.—But when it is desired that any Newspapers, Books, &c., until 8 P.M. error in the name of the Remitter or Payee should be corrected or that the amount of be posted in the night box from 8 P.M. a Money Order should be repaid to the on the 25th Instant, until 7 A.M. on the Remitter, or that a Lapsed Order should be renewed for payment in the Country in which the Order was originally drawn. application must be made to the Chief Money Order Office of such Country. This application must be accompanied by an additional Commission, unless it have re-Commission will be deducted from the amount of the New Order.

13.—Repayment whether of an original or renewed, or a duplicate Order, will not be made to the remitter until it has been ascertained that the advice has been cancelled at the Office on which the Order was originally drawn.

14.—Payment of an Order must be ob tained before the end of the Sixth Calenda Month after that in which it was drawn for instance, if drawn in January, paymen must be obtained before the end of July otherwise the Order will become lapsed and a new Order (for which a second Com mission, to be deducted from the amount payment is compulsory must be drepaid of the Order, will be charged) will become

15.—If an Order be not paid before the end of the Twelfth Calendar Month after that in which it was drawn,—for instance, if drawn in January and not paid before the end of the following January—all claim to the Money will be forfeited, unless, under peculiar circumstances, the Post Office of the Country in which the Order was drawn think proper to allow it.

16.—After once paying a Money Order by whomsoever presented, the paying Office will not be liable to any further claim. If a wrong payment, however, be made owing to negligence on the part of any Officer of the Post Office, the Postmaster General of the Country or Colony in which the negligence occurs will, if he see fit, require the Officer in fault to make good the loss.

17.-No Money Order will be paid unless the advice has been previously received. 18.—Additional Rules for greater security against fraud, and for the better working of the system generally will be made as occasion may require."

19.—Should it appear that Money Orders lar will be conducted in the Coins pre- are used by mercantile men, or others, scribed by Ordinance 1, of 1864, and either in the United Kingdom or at Hongthe Proclamation of the 22nd January, kong, Shanghai or Yokohama, for the 1864, and no other Coins, but those transmission of large sums of money, the therein specified will either be received British or Colonial Post Office, as the case or given in change as fractional parts may be will consider the propriety of increasing the Commission, and will exercise Payment for Postage Stamps must be made | the power of wholly suspending for a time By Command.

> F. W. MITCHELL $^\circ Postmaster~General$ General Post Office Hongkong, 22nd August, 1868.

> > Docks.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

CHAREHOLDERS are requested to take notice that the Eight call of Fifty Dollars on the new Stock of the above named Company is due on the 1st March next and will be payable at the office of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking CORPORATION, where receipts for the payment thereof will be granted by the Ma-

Interest at the rate of Twelve per cent per annum will be changed after the above

By order of the Board of Directors, GEORGE N. MINTO, Secretary.

Hongkong, December 1, 1868 FOOCHOW GRANITE FLOORED ${
m DOCK}$

THE above Dock has been in full working order for the last four years. Length 300 feet, width at bottom 40 feet, depth water on the sill, springs, average 17 feet, neaps 14 feet. The Dock in ordinary Tides runs dry to the Blocks and is pumped out by Steam.

For further particulars as to the price of coppering, &c., &c., &c., apply to T. D. TILLINGHAST, Esq., Messrs De Silver & Co., Hongkong; Mesars Boyn & Co., Shanghai; or to the Undersigned. In connection with the above is the

powerful Twin Screw Tug " WOOSUNG. Vessels requiring the services of this Tug either from Matsou (where a splendid anchorage will be found during the S. W. monsoon) or from the White Dogs, can obtain them at moderate rates, on application

JOHN C. SKEY, Pagoda Anchorage, River Min.

THE UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONGKONG & WHAMPOA, LIMITED.

THE Company respectfully call the attention of Ship Owners, Consigsels of all classes.

works, and everything necessary for the

can be engaged to tow Vessels to sea, or JOHN INGLIS,

> Acting Secretary. Or to A. D. MITCHELL, Manager of Works.

Insurances OCEAN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY.

LONDON. Incorporated 1859.

CAPITAL, -£1,000,000. NHE Undersigned baving been appointed Agents for the above Company are prepared to accept Marine risks and issue Policies at current rates. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co

Hongkong, June 6, 1867. excinistive <u>of Al</u> ALBERT LIFE ASSURANCE

COMPANY.

ESTABLISHED 1838 CAPITAL, £500,000. Managing Agents in China, - Messis. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., Hongkong. Medical Referee, - J. Ivon Murray, Esq., M.D.

THE Undersigned having been appoints Managing Agents for the above Con pany are prepared to accept risks and issy Policies on Life Assurances. For further particulars, forms of proposals, &c., apply to AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.

Managing Agents in China; Hongkong, June, 1867. LONDON AND PROVINCIAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY. HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above Company, are prepared to grant Marine Risks at current rates as a v

Hongkong, March 6, 1868. LANCASHIRE INSURANCE. Harrisott COMPANY.

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.

1475 T. W. (FIRE AND LIFE.)

CAPITAL, -Two MILLIONS STERLING. NHE Undersigned are prepared to gran Policies against the Risk of FIRE of Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on Coals in Matsheds, on Goods on board Vessels and on Hulls of Vessels in Harbour, at the usual Terms and Conditions. Proposals for Life Assurances will be received, and transmitted to the Directors

If required, protection will be granted on first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single For Rates of Premiums, forms of proposals or any other information, apply to. "ARNHOLD KARBERG & Co. Agents Hongkong & Canton.

Hongkong, January 4, 1867, 4 10, JAVA SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE THE Undersigued having been appointed Agents at Hongkong and Canton for the above Company are prepared to grapt Policies against Sea Risks at current rates.

ÄRNHOLD KARBERG"Æ'Cd.

Hongkong, July 27, 1868. LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

I ROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged on short period Insurances, viz:—

Not exceeding | d of the Annual Rate. Above 1 month and not exceeding three (Above 3 m'ths () and not ex-

ceeding six months..... Above 6 m'ths, The full Annual Rate, ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co., Agents, Lancashire Insurance Company

Hongkong, April 14, 1868. PHŒNIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

LIVERPOOL AND LONDON & GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANIES. HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Companies at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$40,000 on Buildings. or on Goods Stored therein.

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, September 28, 1868. NORTH CHINA INSURANCE Co. HE Undersigned, having been appointed AGENTS for the above Company at the Ports of Tamsul and Kelung, are prepared to Grant Policies of MARINE INSUR-

ANCE at current/rates. DODD & Co. Tamsui, 10th August, 1868.

IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$80,000 on Buildings. or on Goods stored therein. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, August 24, 1864.

, NOTICE, IMPERIAL FIRE OFFICE. TROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged for Short Period Insurances, viz:— Not exceeding 1 month, \(\frac{1}{2} \) of the annual rate not exceeding $3, \dots \frac{1}{2}$

not exceeding 6,... 3 Above 6 months,..... the full annual rate, GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Hongkong, April 7, 1868. IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY.

REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM TINTIL further notice the following Anunual Rates will be charged for Fire Dwelling Houses removed from the Town, and their 🎍 per cent. Contents. Other Dwelling Houses used strictly as such, and their

Godowns, Officas, Shops, &c. and their Contents, GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Company, MANAGE Hongkong, March 6, 1865,

Contents.

Insurances.

BOMBAY INSURANCE COMPANY AND FORBES & CO. S. CONSTITUENTS INSURANCE COMPANY.

HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Companies are prepared to accept Risks on the usual terms. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, February 26, 1868.

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY. REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM. Detached and semi-detached

Divelling-Houses removed from Town, and their Contents, of The second • Der cent

strictly as such, and their Contents. per cent. per annum. Godowns, Offices, Mops, &c. and their Contents. per cent

Other Dwelling-Houses used

GILMAN & Co. Agents North British and Mercantile Insurance Company. Hongkong, March 9, 1866.

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILI INSURANCE COMPANY. ROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged in Short Period Not exceeding one i of the annual rate. bove 1 month, and

not exceeding 3 months. **A**bove 3 months, and)not exceeding "6 the full Annual rate Above 6 months. Agents. North British and Mercantile Insurance Company.

Hongkong, April 7, 1868. NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY Incorporated by Royal Charter and Special Acts of Parliament.

> ESTABLISHED 1809. CAPITAL: £2,000,000

ACCUMULATED FUNDS £2,233,927. ANNUAL REVENUE £497,263. HE Undersigned Agents at Hongkong for the above Company are prepared

on grant Policies against FIRE, to the extent of £10,000 on any Building, or on Merchandise in the same. GILMAN & Co Hongkong, June 21, 18647(1)

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF MANCHESTER AND LONDON THE Undersigned have been appointed Agents for the above Company at Hongkoug, Canton, Foochow, Shanghai and Hankow, and are prepared to grant

Insurances at current rates. *** HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, October 14, 1868. NOTICE. MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY FILE following Rates will be charged

future for short period Insurances, Not exceeding 1 month, 12 per cent. Above ${f 1}$ month and not exceeding 3 months, & do. Above 3 months and not exceeding 6,..... 3 do. Above 6 months,..... HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

Hongkong, April 8, 1868. LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION.

LIFE ASSURANCE. 1 HE Undersigned are authorised to issu Life Policies for sums not exceeding HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

Hongkong, October 14, 1868. THE LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION. HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Corporation are prepared to grant Fire and Marine Insurance on the usual Terms. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

Hongkong, December 26, 1867. LONDON ASSURANCE CORPO-RATION. THE following rates will in future be charged for Short Period Insurances: Three months. Six months. . HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. NOTICE ROM and after this date the following

rates will be charged for Short Period Insurances, viz:— Not exceeding } 1 of the Annual Rate. Above 1 month and not exceeding three (? months, Above 3 m'the 1 and not ex-(ceeding six (7 11 months,

Above 6 m'ths, The full Annual Rate. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers, Hongkong Fire Insurance Company. Hongkong, April 7, 1868. THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY.

Capital, -Two Million Stealing. THE Undersigned having been appointed å per cent. Agents for the above Company at this . 1 per cent. port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire, to the extent of £10,000, on Buildings or on Goods stored therein. MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co. Hongkong, May 20, 1868.

insurances.

ALLIANCE FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY. NOTICE. FROM and after this date the following rates will be charged for Short Period Įnsurances, viz.— Not exceeding

of the Annual Rate. one month... Above I month and not exceeding three months. Above 3 m'ths and not ex-

ceeding six } Above 6 m'the, The full Annual Rate. JARDINE, MATRESON & Co., Agents, Alliance Fire Assurance Company Hongkong, April 7, 1868.

NOTICE. BRITISH AND FOREIGN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY,

HELUndersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Insurance Company are prepared to grant Policies covering Marine risks at the current Rates. Policies can be made payable at all the principal ports throughout the World. MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co.,

Hongkong, November 7, 1867. NOTICE. THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPAN THE following Rates will be charged in future for short period Insurances,

Not exceeding 1 month, & of the annual rate. Above I month and not exceeding 3 months. Above 3 months and not exceeding 6, do. Above 6 months,..... the full annual rate. MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co.,

Agents the Queen Insurance Company. Hongkong, May 20, 1868. MERCHANT'S MUTUAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY.

SAN FRANCISCO. PAID UP CAPITAL, \$500,000.

HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong and China for the above Company, are prepared to grant Policies at Current Rates. ULYPHANT & Co.

Hongkong, August 9 1867. GUARDIAN ASSURANCE COMPANY OF LONDON.

> ESTABLISHED 1821. Capital £2,000,000.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Company for Hongkong and Canton are prepared grant Policies at current rates.

OLYPHANT & Co. Hongkong, July 17, 1868, ... ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

> FIRE AND LIFE. CAPITAL, £2,000,000.

(LIFE DEPARTMENT.) L' during the last Fifteen Years on all Profit participating Policies of Two Years' standing. The utmost liberality practised in the settlement of all Claims, with the repre-

sentatives of deceased Assurers. An Assurance for any sum not exceeding £1000 can be effected with the Undersigned the full annual rate. without referring to Head-quarters. By special authority of the Board, Claims are settled at once by the Undersigned without reference to England. Fees to Medical Referees paid by the

> No forfeiture of Policy from unintentional mis-statement. Premiums payable Half-yearly or Annually at the option of the Assured. Aunual Premiums for an Assurance £100 for the whole term of Life, including £2. 10s. per Cent. for Foreign Risk, which will be deducted during a visit to or a per-

mament resident in Europe :-WITHOUT WITH PARTICIPATION | PARTICIPATIO £4 5 20 25 4 9 4 14 **4** 19 6 18 8 - 0. 8 7

Intermediate ages charged proportionably. For Forms, for effecting Life Assurances, and for any further information, apply to. ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents. Hongkong, September 3, 1864.

AMICABLE INSURANCE OFFICE. HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above INSURANCE Risks, and issue Policies on any first class Sailing Vessels or Steamers, on the usual terms, payable in case of loss, in CHINA, SINGAPORE, CALCUTTA, BOMBAY, or LONDON. ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, June 17, 1864.

NOTICE.

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY. viz:-

Not exceeding One } 1 per cent. Above One Month and not exceeding } } per cent,-Three Months, Above Three Months and not exceeding } } per cent. Six Months. Above Six Months, Thefull Annual Rate of 1 per cent.

Hongkong, April 7, 1868,

Insurances.

LIFE ASSURANCE IPHE Undersigned have received Authority by a recent Mail to issue Lage Policies for amounts not exceeding £1000 without reference to the Head Office, as was previously required by the Board. ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Agents Royal Insurance Company

Hongkong, January 6, 1865.

NOTICE. HE Undersigned having received extended limits from THE ROYAL INSUR-ANCE COMPANY, are now authorised to issue Policies against Fire as follows, viz. On any one first-class Building, or on Goods stored therein - in Hongkong, \$60,000; in Macao \$45,000. ROB. S. WALKER & Co.,

> REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM FOR 'FIRE INSURANCE,

Agents Royal Insur. Company of Liverpool.

Hongkong, June 17, 1864.

THE Undersigned have (as already intimated in their Circular dated 14th October last) received authority from the Secretary of the ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY to Reduce the rate of Premium under certain circumstances, on PRIVATE RESIDENCES and on FURNITURE and Er-

FECTS, therein contained. In cases of Dwelling-Houses removed from the lown, the rate of Fremlum will be Three-quarters per Cent. in place of Ores per Cent. per Annum as hitherto charged ; and in cases of Residences, so situated, being detached or semi-detached, the rate will be further reduced to Une-half per Cent. The Royal's Annual Rates for Fire In-SURANCE on the various classes of Buildings

and their contents will therefore remain as follows, until further notice, viz. Detached and semi-detached Dwelling-Houses (removed from the Town) and their Contents. Other $\mathit{Divelling} ext{-}\mathit{Houses}$ (simi-

larly situated) and their Contents. f per cent. First Class China House and their Contents. 11 per cent. Other Risks as per special arrangement. ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents Royal Insurance Company, Hongkong, November 9, 1866.

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF

QHARES Nos. 205, 206 and 207, have been placed in the hands of the Society For SALE. Sealed Tenders for purchase of the same, marked "Tender for Share will be received until Friday, 15th January, 1869. By order of the Board of Directors.

ROLT. WATMORE, Hongkong, December 31, 1868. PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAN FRANCISCO. THE Undersigned, Agents for the above

Company are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, on BUILDINGS and GOODS, at current rates. RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, February 6, 1867.

BATAVIA SEA & FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above PoperCent. per Annum Bonus declared named Company are prepared to grant Policies against SEA RISKS, at currentrates.

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, April 1, 1865. YANG-TSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIA-

TION OF SHANGHAL THE Undersigned having been appointed Secretaries and Agents of this Association, are prepared to issue Policies upon Marine Risks at current rates of premium. Policies can be made payable in London, New York, Bombay, Calcutta, Singapore, Hongkong, Foothow and Shanghai.

In addition to the usual brokerage this Association returns to the assured of each year at the close of each current year, fifteen (15) per cent of the profits of the Company for that year divided pro rata to the amount o premium paid by each policy-holder. RUSSELL & Co.

Agents in China for the above Insur-ANCE COMPANY are prepared to grant Policy covering Marine Risks, at the current

F.USSELL & Co.

RAYNAL & Co.

PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY

OF SAN FRANCISCO.

THE Undersigned having been appointed

Hongkong, March 2, 1867

Hongkong, July 6, 1866.

SAMARAN J SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAMARANG. "HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Macao for the above named

Company are prepared to grant Policies

covering Marine Risks at the current Rates.

Macao, August 4, 1866. DE OOSTERLING SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COM. PANY OF BATAVIA.

OFFICE, are prepared to accept Marine SAMARANG SEA AND FIRE INSUR-ANCE COMPANY OF SAMARANG. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above named Companies are prepared to grant Policies against Sea Risks on the usual SIEMSSEN & Co. torms. Hongkong, August 1866.

NOTICE.

THE following Rates will be charged in NORTHERN ASSURANCE COMPANY, future for short period Insurances, LROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged for Short Petica Insurances:-Not exceeding one month, of the Annual rate. Above one month and not exceeding 3 months, 1 Above 3 months and not exceeding 6 months.... Above 6 months,... the full annual rate. TURNER & Co.

ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents Royal Insurance Company. Agents, Hongkong, April 13, 1868,

FOR RIFLE PRACTICE, as used at the WIMBLEDON RIFLE MEETINGS.)

CONTAINING:-

LIST OF OFFICE BEARERS, PRESIDENT AND COMMITTEE, LIST OF MEMBERS, RULES OF THE ASSOCIATION, BYE-LAWS, INSTRUC-TIONS FOR REGISTER KEEPER, AND TAR-GET REGISTERS.

PRICE, 50 cents each
Suitable for the waistcoat pocket.

THE

CHINESE COMMERCIAL GUIDE.

RY S. WELLS WILLIAMS, L.L.D.

Published at the "CHINA MAIL" Office,

638 PP. DEMY 8VO. WITH APPENDIX. Price, \$5.

-... Original Publishing Price, Ten Dollars.

The following is an Abstract of the Con nts of this Book:—

BE MISSINGT OHAP, I. SEC. 1 TO 4. Four Treaties with China. 1. -Treaty with Great Britain, Chinese Text of the same.

3.—Treaty with the United States. 4.—Treaty with Russia. Supplementary Treaty with Russia CHAP. II.—SEC. 1 TO 5.

Articles of Trade with China. 1.—Tariff on Articles of Import. 2.—Tariff on Articles of Export. 3.—Rules respecting Trade and Dues, Chinese Text of the same. 4. Description of Articles of Import. 5.—Description of Articles of Export.

CHAP. III. - SEC. 1 TO 14. Foreign Commerce with China. 1. _Port of Canton. 2.—Port of Chauchau or Swatow. 3. Port of Kiungchau in Hainan.

4.—Port of Amoy. B .- Port of Foochow. 6. Ports of Tamshui and Taiwan in Fori 7.-Port of Ningpo.

8. Port of Shanghai. 9.—Ports on the Yangtez' and Trade n the Interior. 10.—Port of Tangchau or Chefoo.
11.—Port of Tientsin.

12.—Port of Newchwang or Yangtez'. 13.—Colony of Hongkong. CHAP. IV.—8EC. 1 TO 5.

> Foreign Commerce with Japan. 1.—Intercourse with Japan. 2.—Treaty between Great Britain and 3.—Ports open to Foreign Commerce.

> Kanagawa and Hakodadi. 4.—Japanese Coins, Weights and Measures.

5.—American Compact with Lewchewe CHAP. V.—SEC, 1 TO 7. Moneys, Weights, &c., in China.

L.—Chinese Currency. 2.—Chinese Numerals. 3.—Chinese Commercial Weights. 4.—Measures of Capacity. 5 - Measures of Length. 6.—Chinese Land Measures.

7.—Chinese Divisions of Time. CHAP. VI.—SEC. 1 TO 11. Western Moneys, Weights, &c. 1.—Annamese Moneys, &c. 2.—Port of Saigon.

3.—Treaty with Siam, Tariff, &c., Siamese Moneys, Weights, &c. 4.—Netherlands India. 5.— Philippine Islands. Sailing Directions for Panay I 6.—Malayan States—Singapore, &c. 7.—Burmese Moneys, Weights, &c. 8.—Indian Presidencies,—Bengal, Ma-

dras, Bombay. 10.—English and French Weights, &c. 11.—United States of America. CHAP. VII.—SEC. 1 TO 6.

Tables on Prices, Exchanges, &c. 1.—Comparison of Prices. 2.—Relating to Exchanges. 3.4-Helating to Time. 4.—Comparison of Weights. Measurement of Cargo.

bout 6 -Bullion Operations.

APPENDIX -Containing Sailing Directions for the Coast of China, and for the Japan Islauds; also giving the meanings of Chinese Words occurring in Charts and Sailing Directions; and also a Table of Po-nitions of places on the Chinese and Japanese Coasts.

The author in his Preface says :- "The tables in Chap. VII., for estimating prices, measurement of goods, exchanges, &c. have been selected from those constantly in use among the foreign merchants in China. Those for calculating the prices of tea in Those for calculating the prices of tea in dollars or pence have been copied from the more extended tables, by the kind permission of the author, P. Loureiro, Esq. The ast section of the same chapter on "Movements in Bullion," has been prepared and furnished for the Guide by Patrick R. Harper, Esq., of the Commercial Bank of India at Hongkong, who has had much experience in the exchanges and movements of the precious metals in Eastern Asia.

"The Appendix of Sailing Directions has been reprinted from the 'China Pilot.' With short interruptions, the coasts from Singapore to Hakodadi are all described in it; and for the Chinese coasts, the Directions have been improved by the insertion of the Chinese characters for the names of

of the Chinese characters for the names o all places that could be ascertained."

Orders may be sent through any of the CHARLES A. SAINT, (Late A. Shortrede & China Mail Office, Jap. 6, 1868.

Chinese Advertisements.

白

明望在船單啟爹

Miscellaneous. WASHING BOOKS in English and Chinese. ASHERMAN'S BOOKS, for the use of Ladies and Gentlemen, are now eady at this Office-Price, \$1 each.

"China Mail" Office.

For Sale. The Hongkong Signals,

the Principal House Flags, belonging to and frequenting Hongkong. PRINTED IN COLORS.

TO MEMBERS OF THE RIFI ASSOCIATION. N sale by Charles A. SAINT,

Aiming Drill (COLORED.)

VESSELS LOADING.

Destination.		Vessel's Nam	e. Flag & Rig.	Consignees.	
CHINA & JAPAN 1	PORTS_		1 1 1 1 1		
NINGPO	. ,	Mobil	NGW	Roman Dukana La	•
$\mathbf{D_{0}}$		Batavia*	N C hi	Bourjau, Hubener & Co Wm. Pustau & Co	D
TIENTSIN		Johanna*	N C L	F Colonban & Co	1 .
$\mathbf{D_{o_{\bullet}}}$		Amazona	N.C. L	E. Schellhass & Co	1
D o,		Ingeburg*	M. C. D.	E. Schellhass & Co	
$\mathbf{D_0}$		Odense	Day an	E. Schellhass & Co	
Do.		Candace*	Dan, sr.	John Burd & Co	,
\mathbf{D}_{0}		George*	M (1	Wni. Pustau & Co	1
\mathbf{D}_{0}		Japan *	IN. U. Br.	E. Schellhas & Co	
Do.	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	Friedrich	IN. Ct. Br.	Siemssen & Co	
\mathbf{D}_{0} ,			IN. G. Dg	Bourjau, Hubener & Co) '
Do.		Cacar	N.G. bk	Siemssen & Co	'l ·
YOKOHAMA		Wilhelm	N.G. bk	Melchers & Co	
Do The	•••	Thales	Br. str.	Camajee & Co	
$\mathbf{D_{0}}$	•••	Allendale	Br. bk.	Arnhold, Karberg & Co	
$\mathbf{\tilde{D}_{0}}$	111	Blairmore	Br. bg.	E. Schellhass & Co	
		J. Christian	N.G. bk	Wm. Pustau & Co	
Do.	•••	Wanja	N.G. bg	Siemssen & Co	
Y.HAMA & S. F.C.	[CO]	China	Am. str.	Pacific Mail S. S. Co	1011
OTHER PORTS-				- doz. 22 day 15, 15, CO	16th
MARSEILLES		J. & Joseph*	Fr ha	Arnhold, Karberg & Co	
NEW YORK		Glandoveer	Dr. bl.	Russell & Co	
Do		Magnet*	Dr. UK,	Classical of Co	
Do		Caroline*	DI. OII.	Olyphant & Co	
SAN FRANCISCO		Golden Horn	D L	Bourjau, Hubener & Co	
D o		Pekin	1	Russell & Co	j
Do			Am. bk.	Olyphant & Co	
MELBOURNE & S	ייטיטארדע ייטיטארדע	Douglass Zonhan	Dr. 8h.	Bosman & Co	
\mathbf{D}_0 . \mathbf{D}_0	TAMET		Du. bk.	Russell & Co	
$egin{array}{ccc} \mathbf{D_0} & \mathbf{D_0} \\ \mathbf{SYDNEY} & & & & \\ \end{array}$		Lyttleton	Br. sh.	Olyphant & Co	
BOMBAY	**** [Aurora	[Br. bg.]	Jardine, Matheson & Co	
CALCUTTA, &c		LBK	Br. bk.	Russell & Co	
	•••	A TEDOGE	Br. str.	Gibb, Livingston & Co	Clearer
Do.	• • •	TITLES TOURTS	Dr. Str.	Jaraine. In At Ca	13th
BANGKOK		Whitehall	Br. sh.	Holliday, Wise & Co	-0111
Do, & HOM	ıεμ	Banda	Br. sh.	Holliday, Wise & Co	· .
$\mathbf{D_{0}}$. $\mathbf{D_{0}}$.		appuna	HBr. ble K	Order	_ •_
SAIGON	C	JelestialQueen	$[\mathbf{Br}, \mathbf{sh}]$	Holliday, Wise & Co	
Do. & HOME	·). Empress	Br. sh	Grun & Co	:
SAIGON & BANGE	OK	isc. Canning	Si. str.	Yuen Fat Hong	
MANILA		olrene	Rr sh	Bourier Hubers LA	
TURON		Albatross	N.G. bk	Bourjau, Hubener & Co	
SURINAM		Zeritas ·	Br. ah	Firmer & Co	
HAVANA		7istula	Ru ak 1	Landstein & Co	
CALLAO	e le	legene Brons	N C LI.	Wm. Pustau & Co	ı í
10 ET 10 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11 11	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •		TA' CL' DK	THE LUSTER & CO	
4.11.1171	1,				
*At Whamp	oa.		†At 0	lanton.	
					<i>:</i>

MEN-OF-WAR IN HONCKONG HARBOUR.

		<u> </u>						
	Name.	Flag.	Rig.	Guns,	Tons.	Captain.		
	Adventure	British	steamer	2	1794	Hy. J. Raby, V.C. Capt.		
	Algerine,	British	gun-boat	3		H. R. C. Grey, R. N., Lieut.		
-	Aroostook	U. States	gun-boat			- Bradford		
. ·	Bouncer	British	gun-boat	3		Rodney Lloyd, Lt. C.		
	Drake	British	gun-boat	3		In ordinary.		
	Flamer	British	naval hospital		·	Attached to Melville		
-	Grasshopper	British	gun-boat	3		In ordinary.		
	Hardy	British	gun-boat	3		In ordinary,		
	Leven	British	gun-vessel	3	· . :			
٠	Meeanes	British	Military Hospital		1 [Orford S. Cameron Lt. Cmr,		
	Melville	British	uaval hospital			Hospital ship		
1	Perseus	British				Geo. B. Hill, D.I.G.		
			steam sloop	17]	Stevens		
	Piscataqua		receiving ship	- 7	.	Commodore Oliver J. Jones		
			steam-sloop	_	3177	- Ammen		
1		British	steamer	-	1	Lord C. Scott		
	Salamis	British	steamer		840	–, Miller		
	² ylvia	British	steamer -					
	Unadilla	U. States	gun-boat	5	580	Yates, Lieut, Comr.		
: -					. !			
	CHI	nese gui	N-VESSELS IN C	ANT	ON'	WATERS.		
	An-lan	Chinese	Zun-vessel		- 1	odsill		

gun-vessel 7 | 221 Edwards Chinese gun-boat 4 Bessard Chinese gun-boat Deine gun boat 5 Francis Chinese Customs' Lorcha J Pointer Chinese gun-boat

gun-boat

Chinese

RECEIVING SHIPS & HULKS.

5 180 Stewart

6de Longueville

on of	Name.	Flag.	Rig.	Tons.	Captain.	Owners.
ho	Chase Fort William John Adam Kim Joo Hong	P. M. British British	ship barque	1000	1 T A LL TI DETIT	Harbour Master (Gunpowder) P. & O. S. N. Co Water Police
1						

SHIPPING IN HARBOUR

HONGKONG.

Consignees of Vessels will greatly oblige by forwarding corrections of errors in the following list.

Exclusive of Arrivals, Departures and Clearances reported to-day.

C. on Pedder's Wharf. -WC., from Pedder's Wharf to Gibb's Wharf. - W., Westward of Gibb's Wharf. -EC., on Pedder's Wharf to the Military Hospital. -E., Eastward of the Hospital. -K., on Kowloong side.

ng. Vessel's Name and Anchored.	Where	Captain.	Flag ar Kig.	nd Tons	Date of	Consignees or Agents.	1	n. Intended	
STEAMERS					Arrival. 1868-69.			Despatch.	
— American Arratoon Apcar L adiz	WC	Baker Smidt Edmond	.	tr. 928	January 1	6 Jardine, Matheson & Co 2 Gibb, Livingston & Co		13th, 2 p.m.	
Jatharine Apcar Shina	WC	Swanson Warsaw	Brit. s	tr. 1020	January :	4P. & O. S. N. Co 2Gibb, Livingston & Co 3Pacific Mail S. S. Co	East Coast Calcutta, &c Y'ma & S. F'	Cleared	
Clan Alpine Erl King Fung Shuey	1 W	Hutchison Pinel Thebaud	Brit. s	tr. 941 tr. 1044	January ! January !	Jardine, Matheson & Co BA. Heard & Co	Shanghai	OIBCO	
Ottawa Patino	WC WC	Eyre Boulı	Brit. s	tr. 1274	January 9	A. Heard & Co P. & O. S. N. Co Spanish Consul			
Phase Thales Tigre	··· ' W	Hinsten Roskell	Fch. a Brit, a	tr. 780 tr. 778	Dec. 20 Dec. 28	Messageries Imperiales Camajee & Co	Yokohama		
Venus Viscount Canning	WC	Boileve Cuming Gottlieb	Fch. 89 Amer. 80 Siam. 80	ir. 677	August 30	Messageries Imperiales A. Heard & Co Yuen Fat Hong	Stage & Dil	•	
Yung-hai-an SAILING VESSI	wc	Morison	Russ. si	r. 447	October 19	Landstein & Co	S'gon & B'ke	OK	
Albatross Alida	WC	Clausen Sammann	N. Ger. b N. Ger. b		Dec. 27	Bourjau, Hubener & Co Siemssen & Co	F uron		
Alida Allendale	W W	Torm Gray	Dan, b Brit, b	g. 250 k. 450	Dec. 4 Dec. 13	Melchers & Co Arnhold, Karberg & Co	Yokohama		
Amazona Applina August Friedrich	\mathbf{W}	Ballstedt Youll Bruhn	N. Ger. b Brit. b N. Ger. b	k. 534°	January 9	E. Schellhass & Čo Order Siemssen & Co	Tientsin Bangkok	& Home	
Aurora Banda		Lessing Lamont	Brit. b	g. 227	Dec. 28	Jardine, Matheson & Co	-5 4220		
Bertha Blairmore	\mathbf{w}	Boutes Uargell		k. 298	January 4	Holliday, Wise & Co Landstein & Co E. Schellhass & Co	Bangkok Yokohama	& Home	
Callao Celestial Queen	W	Lavarelo Watt	Salv. sl	h. 1440	Nov. 17	Jardine, Matheson & Co Holliday, Wise & Co			
Chine and Havane Cissy Comet		Robert Spencer Schnowr	Fch. bl Brit, sl	715 1. 649	Nov. 14 Dec. 26	Order Borneo Company	Saigon		
Costa Rica Crested Wave	WI KI	Maullen Rinouf	Siam, si Brit, bl	. 299	Dec. 31	Chinese A. G. Hogg & Co E. Schellhass & Co			
Cutty sark Dart		Maran Stuart	Siam. bl	475	$egin{array}{ccc} egin{array}{ccc} \egin{array}{ccc} egin{array}{ccc} \egin{array}{ccc} arra$	Chinese A. Heard & Co			
Deutschland Douglass	$\mathbf{W} \mathbf{S}$	seemonn Aorrison	N. Ger. sh Brit. sh	ı. 750	Dec. 22	Siemssen & Co Bosman & Co	San Francisco		
Edouard & Marie Eleanor Wood	WCG	as Trave	Dut bk Brit bk	564		Siemssen & Co	CON LISTORIO	put back	
Ellen Ercella Esk	- W V - W V	Vindsor Ticente Vobbs	Brit. sh Span. bk	631 400	Dec. 20 Dec. 24	Olyphant & Co Order			
Evening Star	WY	Coung	Brit, bk Siam, bk	414	Dec. 9	Russell & Co Chinese	Bombay		
F. A. Palmer Ferdinand Frederic	$\langle \mathbf{W} \mathbf{N} \rangle$	IcCaslin Ieyer Iicaise	Brit. ah N. Ger. bk Belg. sh	. 473	Dec. 29 \footnote{1}	Pacific Mail Steam-ship Co Wm. Pustau & Co			
Friedrich Friendship	KT	uten Llindt	N. Ger. bg Siam. bk	. 233	Dec. 14	Borneo Company Bourjau, Hubener & Co Chinese	Tientsin		
Gesene Brous Golden Horn	$\mathbf{E} \mathbf{R}$	roenwold ice	N. Ger. bk Brit. sh	400	Dec. 4	Vm. Pustau & Co Russell & Co	Callao		
Gravina Handy		arcelo Ianson	Span. bg. Siam. sh.	. 220]	Dec. 22	Remedios & Co Chinese	San Francisco	Early	
Harriot Erving Isles of the South	ES	uttor avidson	Amer. sh.	668]	Dec. 26 J	ardine, Matheson & Co			
Joachim Christian Joseph Hambro	$\mathbf{w}_{\mathbf{R}}$	eimer	N. Ger. bk.	427	Dec. 19 V	ohn Burd & Co Vm. Pustau & Co	Yokohama		
Kalimaas	WCK	oller ohn	Dan. sch. N. Ger. bk.	1	January 12 I	Courjau, Hubener & Co Vm. Pustau & Co	Jugonanja		
[Lucky	WC Co	ollinson oop	Brit. bk,	286	October 10 C				
Lyttleton Macao	W B	eck arales	Brit. sh. Salv. sh.	585 I	Dec. 12 C	llyphant & Co	Melbourne ar	d Sydney	
Madras Maggie Mary Ann Wilson	$\mathbf{W} \mathbf{W}$	upper owman	N. Ger. bk. Brit. sch.	299 $ $ I	Jec. 2918	ardine, Matheson & Co iemssen & Co Vm. Pustau & Co	П сп		
Martha Martha	WCR EH KK	aje	Brit. sh. N. Ger. bk. N. Ger. bg.	944 J 221 N	anuary 10 J Vov. 29 M	ohn Burd & Co Ielchers & Co	Freight or Char	put back	
Milton Mobil M. W. Sass	$-\mathbf{W} \mathbf{S}_{\mathbf{B}}$	nith org centren	Brit. sh. N. Ger. bk.	1254 L 360 L	Jec. 1 K Jec. 29 B	lelchers & Co Blackhead & Co ourjau, Hubener & Co	N:n	pas saon	
Nellie Chapin Nelly	$\mathbf{w} \mathbf{w}$	8.53	Dan. bk.	566 J	anuary 1250	ohn Burd & Co . Heard & Co	Ningpo		
Neu Granada Norma	W Bo W Po		Fch. sh. N. Ger. bk. N. Ger. bk.	350 J	ec. 210 anuary 6E	rder . Schellhass & Co	Whampoa	Cloomed	
Nuevo Constante Ocean	WFa		Span. bg.	203 D	anuary 2Si lec. 16R	emssen & Co emedios & Co	pva	Cleared	
Ocean Empress Odense	W Mo	Donald vsen	Brit. sh. Dan. soh.	- 240 LJ	anuary 7 Gr ec. 23 Jo	ussell & Co run & Co ohn Burd & Co	Saigon	& Home	
Omba Omar Pasha Oscar Vidal	WCTh W Ma W Be	_	Brit. sh. Brit. bk. N. Ger. bk.	836 O 350 D	etober 5 Jo ec. 14 Cl	ohn Burd & Со ninese	Tientsin		
Pekin Princess Seraphi	4	ymour	Amer. bk.	595 D	eo. 3 O1	emssen & Co yphant & Co	Tientsin	T77 4	
	VC Per	nello	Siam, bk. Span, bg.	454 No.	ov. 16 Cl muary 8 Ch	iinese iinese	San Francisco	Early	
Sea Serpent	W Kn VC WI	nite	Brit. sh. Amer. sh.	799 Ja	muary 8 Ru muary 6 Ru	ussell & Co			
Shirley	VC Car W Fer VC Cla	guson	Brit. bg. Amer. sh.	1049 De	nuary $9 W $ 80.	m, Pustau & Co Heard & Co			
Sir Lancelot	$\mathbf{E}[\mathbf{Rol}]$	binson	N. Ger. bk. Brit. sh.	• •	nuary 10 Jai	urjau, Hubener & Co rdine, Matheson & Co	Manila		
Thomas Edward		nzelier	Siam. bk. Brit. bg.	640 De 165 Ja		inese Hogg & Co			
Vision	W Ing W Cur W Bur	omins	Brit. sh. Brit. bg. Russ. sh.	632 Oc 159 De	c. 17 Ho	gg w co	Surinam	Early	
Wanja	W Gor W Ulri	nir	N. Ger. bg.	635 No 245 Jai	ov. 2 Lai nuary 7 Sie	ndstein & Co mssen & Co	Havana		
Whitehall V	C Mar	:sh	N. Ger. bk. Brit. sb.	236 Jan 936 No	nuary 5 Me	lchers & Co	Yokohama Tientsin Bangkok		
Ysabelita y 6 Hermanos Zephyr	W Fran E Oost		Span, bk. Dut, bk.		nuary 7 Chi	nese			
			UK,	490 De	v. 4 Rus	ssell & Co	Melbourne and	Sydney	
WHAMPOA.									
Vessel's Name.		Captain.	laad Ria. T		ate of	63. •			

Vessel's Name.	Captain.	Flag & Rig.	Tons.	Date of Arrival.	Consignees or Agents.	Destination.	Intended Despatch.
Glendoveer Ingeburg Japan A Jeanne & Joseph Johanna Magnet Rangoon Suwonada	Paulsen Schiarloh Dewar Wilson Plaetner Keferstein Castro		233 266 118 666 489 183 271 135 200 679 1776 1802	January 8 January 8 Dec. 16 January 12 60. 30 January 11 January 9 January 12 Dec. 30 January 12 January 9 January 12 January 9	Bourjan, Hubener & Co E. Schellhass & Co Jardine, Matheson & Co Russell & Co E. Schellhass & Co Siemssen & Co Arnhold, Karberg & Co E. Schellhass & O Olyphant & Co P. & O. S. N. Co	Tientsin Tientsin Marseilles Tientsin New York	Early

Vol. XX AGENTS FOR

LONDON :--F.

Lombard St Cornhill. born Hill, E , 4 Old Jewry, AUSTRALIA, ZEALAND bourne and i SAN FRANCIS generally: Francisco

CHINA:—Swate Go: Shangh nila, Or Kat Jan. 13, Ader

N. Andrews, Shr —P. & O. Co. Jan. 14, Wanja, 14, Handy, 14, Sirene,

Per Aden,-M The British st hai, reports: ex

7 a.m. signalled steering to the N For Shanghai, row, the loth ins For Swatow, Cadiz, on Satu

and hazy wind th

noon, instead of tified. For further tisements, &

wil abo morrow, the 15th For Freight or AUGU

Hongkong, Ja

New Ad

DE RACE

CLOTH,.... PAPER CO Hollywoo Hongkong, Ja

A NY person lundersign for collection be all persons who before that date tends leaving th

Hongkong, J.

BRITISH BAR FRO ONSIGNEES TRIDGES " JP 1, 2 cases Ca shipped by ... E 1/40, 40 cases ges shipped by H. & Co. (in d der shipped b are requested to once for counter diate delivery, stored by the Ul expense of the not been taken b instant, at Noor EDUARI Hongkong, J.

CONSIGNER are reques of Lading, for Undersigned, at of their Goods. Cargo impedi-sel will be lande risk and expens Hongkong,

THE Und 1 mates received the VEYOR to under date 1868.